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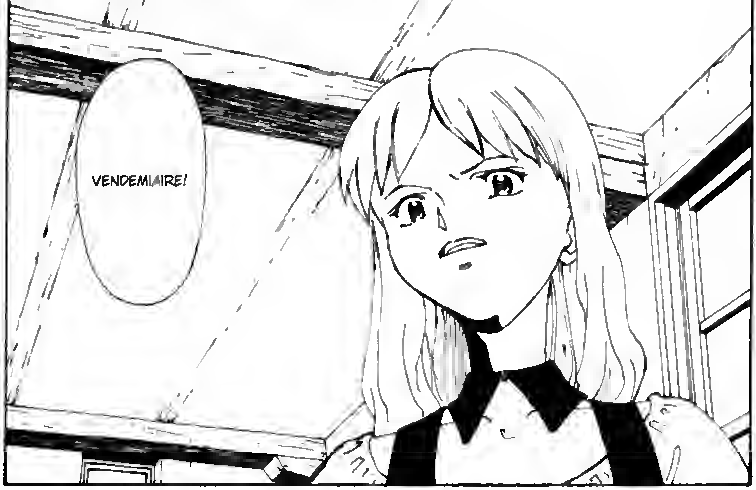
Chapter 5: Brumaire's Pranks

HI HI HI!
NOTHING, MRS FOLLEY!
WHAT'S GOING ON, BRUMAIRE?
PAMM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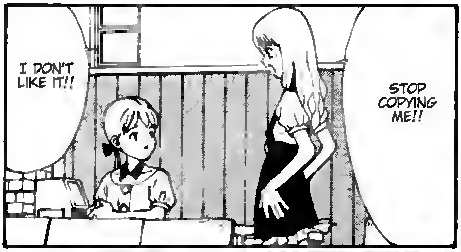
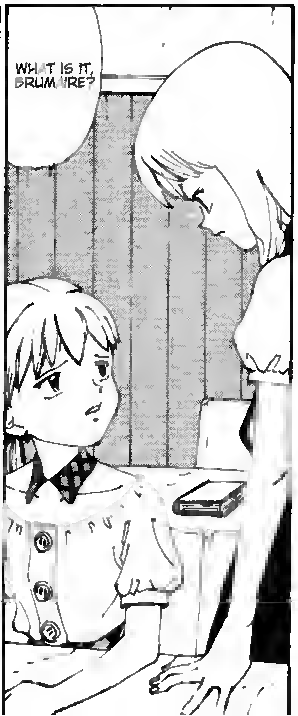
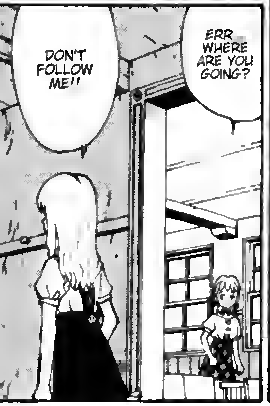
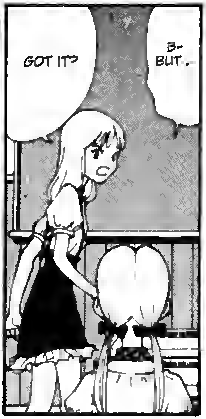
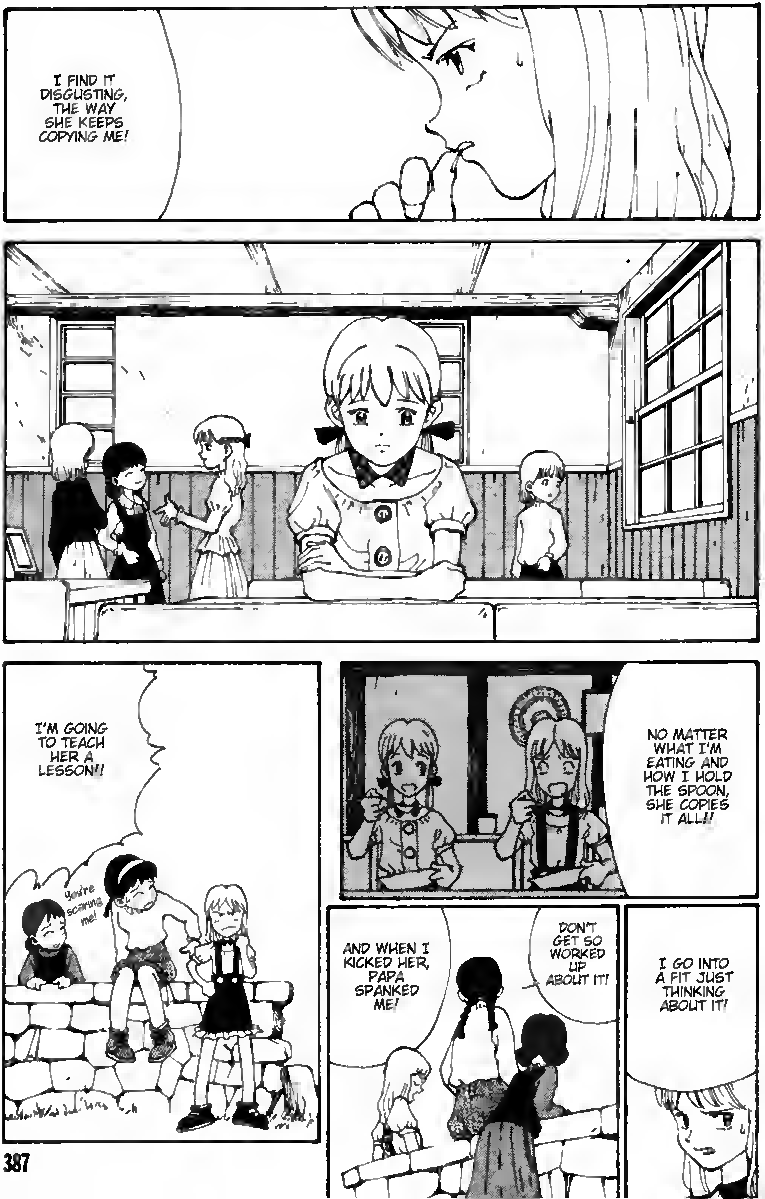

I DON'T LIKE IT!!
STOP COPYING ME!!

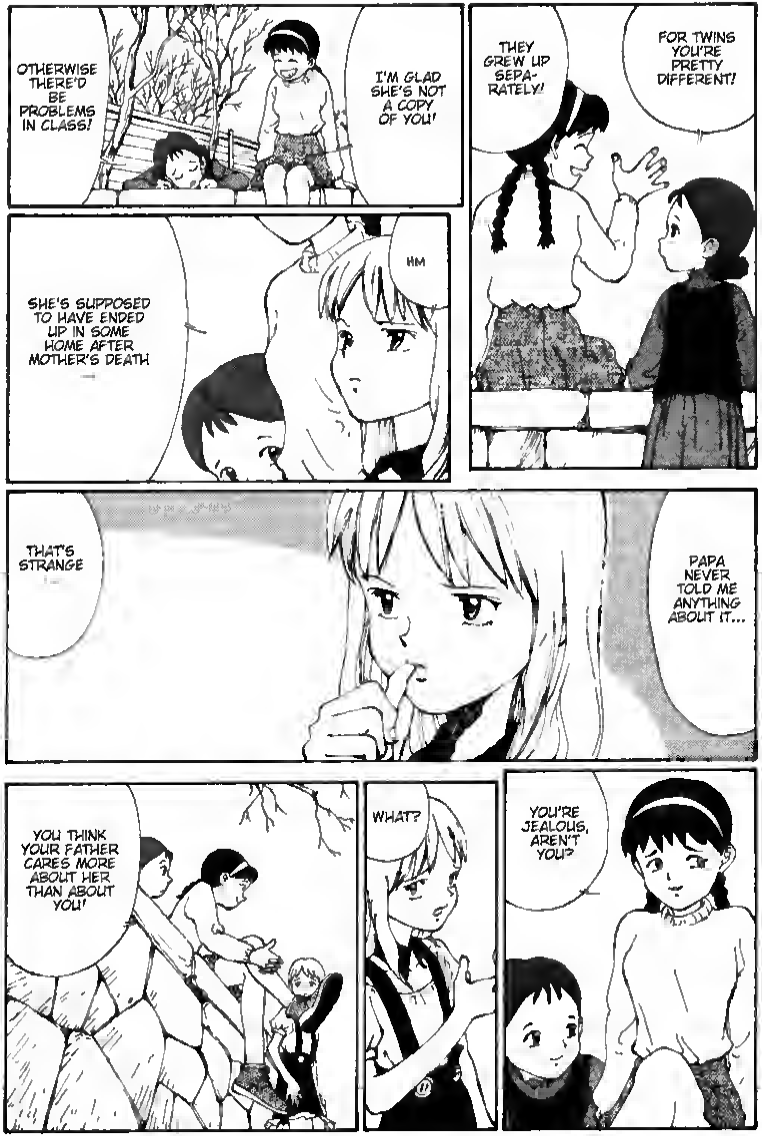

WHAT IS IT, DRUMAIRE?

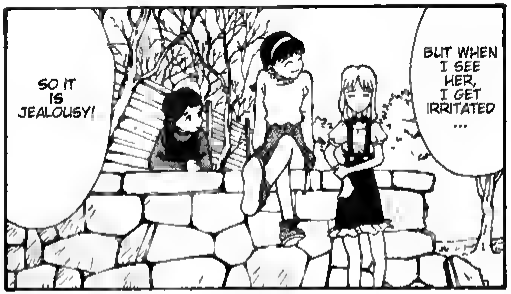

DON'T FOLLOW ME!!
ERR... WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

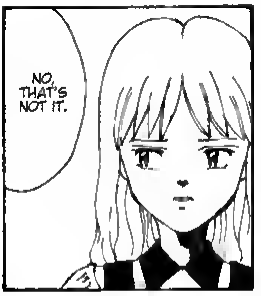

GOT IT?
B-BUT..

SHE GETS ON MY NERVES!
BUT IT'S COOL TO HAVE A TWIN SISTER.
HOW SO?!
AT LEAST YOU'RE NOT A PAMPERED ONLY CHILD!
...I DIDN'T EVEN KNOW THAT I HAD A SISTER!!
UNTIL A SHORT WHILE AGO ...


I FIND IT DISGUSTING, THE WAY SHE KEEPS COPYING ME!
I'M GOING TO TEACH HER A LESSON!!
You're copying me!
NO MATTER WHAT I'M EATING AND HOW I HOLD THE SPOON, SHE COPIES IT ALL!!
AND WHEN I KICKED HER, PAPA SPANKED ME!
DON'T GET SO WORKED UP ABOUT IT!
I GO INTO A FIT JUST THINKING ABOUT IT!


OTHERWISE THERE'D BE PROBLEMS IN CLASS!
I'M GLAD SHE'S NOT A COPY OF YOU!
THEY GREW UP SEPA-RATELY!
FOR TWINS YOU'RE PRETTY DIFFERENT!
HM
SHE'S SUPPOSED TO HAVE ENDED UP IN SOME HOME AFTER MOTHER'S DEATH
THAT'S STRANGE
PAPA NEVER TOLD ME ANYTHING ABOUT IT...
YOU THINK YOUR FATHER CARES MORE ABOUT HER THAN ABOUT YOU!
WHAT?
YOU'RE JEALOUS, AREN'T YOU?


SO IT IS JEALOUSY!
BUT WHEN I SEE HER, I GET IRRITATED ...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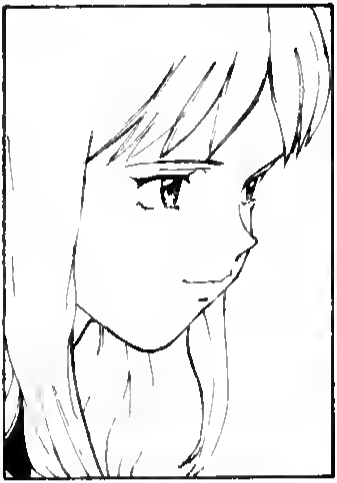


BRUMAIRE WAS PROBABLY PAPA'S DARLING!

SORRY ...
PEOPLE ARE ALREADY LAUGHING AT US!
DON'T KEEP WALKING BEHIND ME!
PAPA!

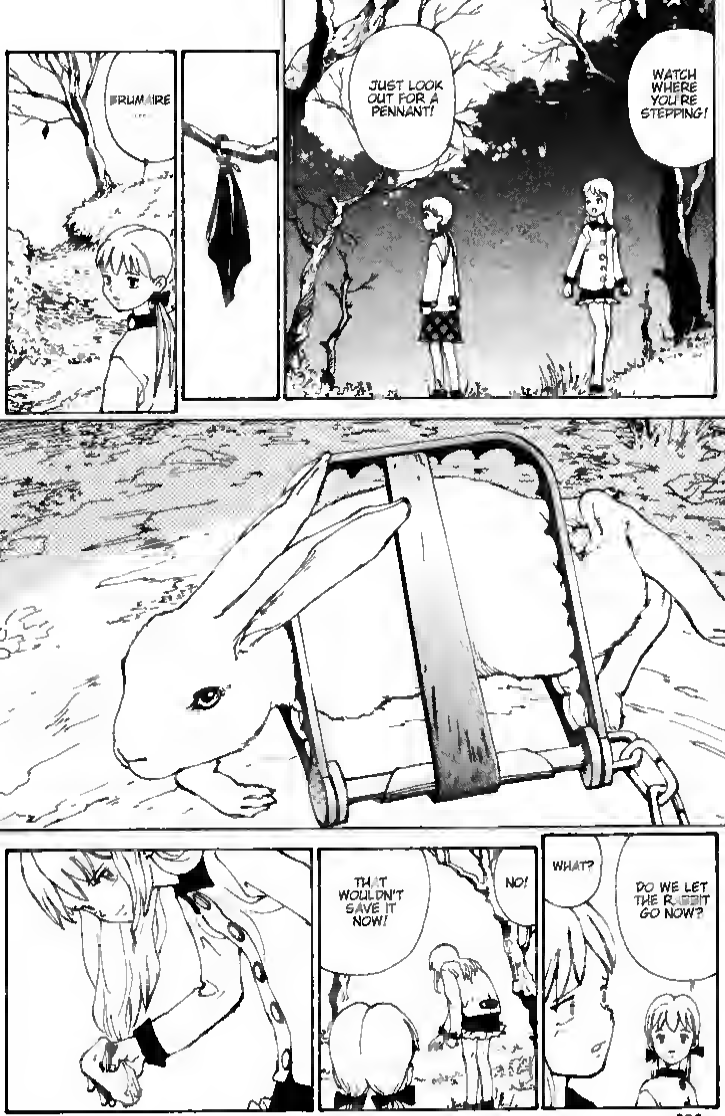
SHALL WE GO HOME TOGETHER?
ARE YOU OFF FROM WORK PAPA?
I STILL HAVE SOMEONE TO VISIT!
OH.

...BUT IT'S OKAY!
NOT COM-PLETELY
WELL...
HAVE YOU GOTTEN USED TO THE NEW SCHOOL, VENDEMIAIRE?
YEAH, YEAH, I KNOW ..
...YOUR SISTER.
YOU PROMISED TO TAKE CARE OF...

LET'S MAKE TEA BEFORE PAPA COMES BACK!
I'LL GET THE ROSE MARMALADE!
TURN THE OVEN ON, VENDEMIAIRE!
I DON'T KNOW HOW...
SO SORRY.
YOU SHOULD HAVE THE OVEN ON!

YOU CAN'T SEW, CAN'T COOK—
WHAT CAN YOU DO THEN?
AH—
PAFF
STOP IT!!

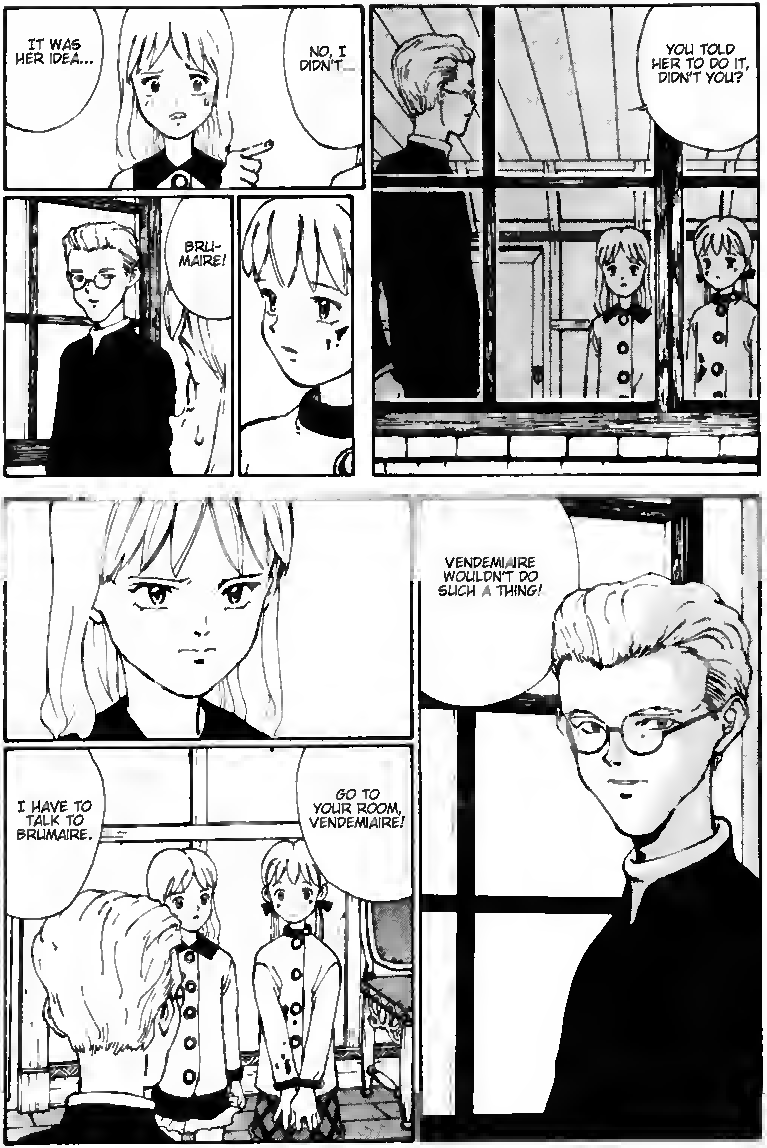
A TRAPPER!
SHUuuu
KLACK KLACK
GOOD IDEA..!
TRAPPER?
YOU DON'T KNOW ANYTHING EITHER!


FRUMAIRE
JUST LOOK OUT FOR A PENNANT!
WATCH WHERE YOU'RE STEPPING!
THAT WOULDN'T SAVE IT NOW!
NO!
WHAT?
DO WE LET THE RABBIT GO NOW?

WE'LL KILL IT!
YES.
WE SHOULD PUT IT OUT OF ITS MISERY...
KILL?
...YOU TO DO IT!
I WANT
YES!
ARE YOU SERIOUS?
WE SHOULD REALLY DO IT...

GOSH...
PITSCH
HA HA HAI
HA HA HAI

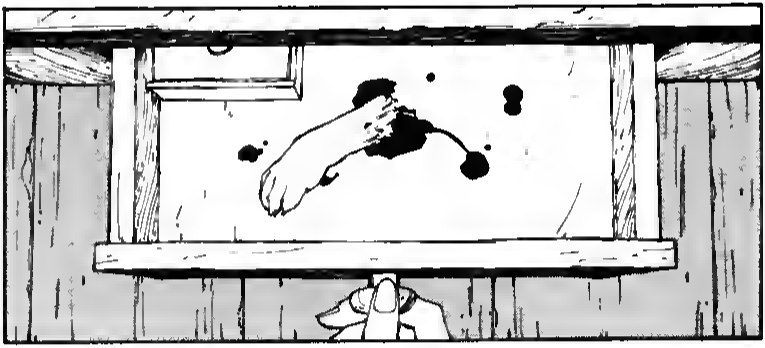
HA HA
HA HA HA
WHAT?
BRUMAIRE!!

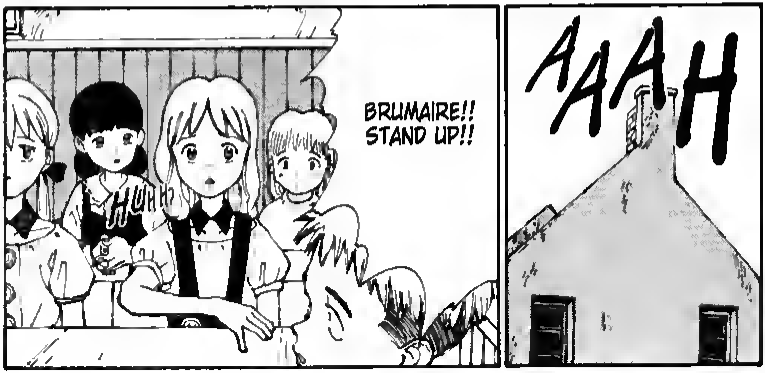

IT WAS HER IDEA...
NO, I DIDN'T_
YOU TOLD HER TO DO IT, DIDN'T YOU?
BRU-MAIRE!
VENDEMIAIRE WOULDN'T DO SUCH A THING!
I HAVE TO TALK TO BRUMAIRE.
GO TO YOUR ROOM, VENDEMIAIRE!

...BUT YOU'RE A GOOD CHILD
BRUMAIRE YOU MIGHT BE A SILLY LITTLE GIRL
...BRUMAIRE...
I LOVE YOU...
YOU WOULDN'T LIE TO YOUR PAPA WOULD YOU?
NO...

I HAVEN'T NOTICED IT...
WHAT DO YOU THINK, BRUMAIRE?
RECENTLY, VENDEMIAIRE'S BEEN TALKING EXACTLY LIKE BRUMAIRE SOMETIMES...
SHALL WE PLAY A TRICK ON HER?
AH... THAT'S THE LAST STRAW!
SHE AND PAPA ARE FRIENDS...
NO, THAT'S NOT A GOOD IDEA
THE TEACHER?
WHO?

GOOD MORNING, CHILDREN!
GOOD MORNING!
LET'S GO ON WITH THE SPELLING FROM YESTERDAY
KRAK




BRUMAIRE!! STAND UP!!
HUH
AAAH

WHO ELSE COULD IT HAVE BEEN THEN?
TELL THE TRUTH, OR I'LL PUNISH YOU EVEN MORE!
IT... IT WASN'T ME!
BLISH

IT WAS HER, TEACHER!
IT W IS HER!!
SHE...
BRU-MAIRE!
IT WAS VENDEMIAIRE!
...BRUMAIRE!
STRETCH OUT YOUR LEFT HAND...

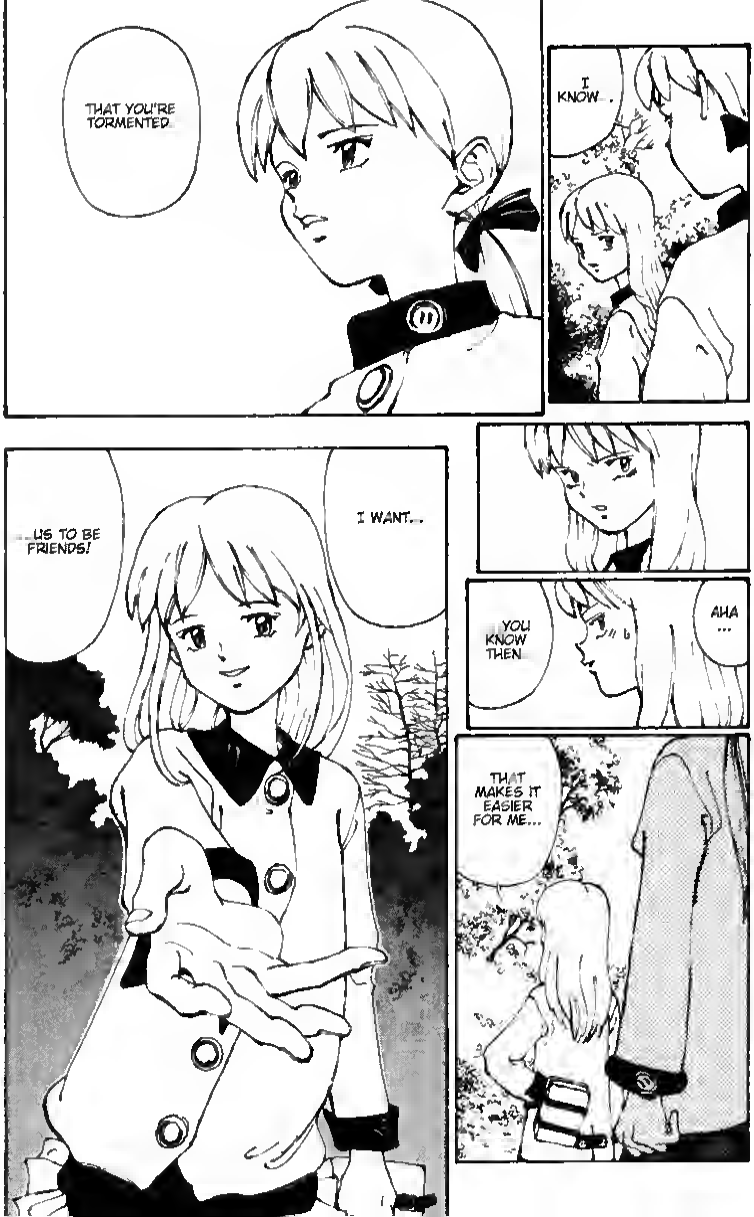
IT'S BEEN A WHILE FATHER.

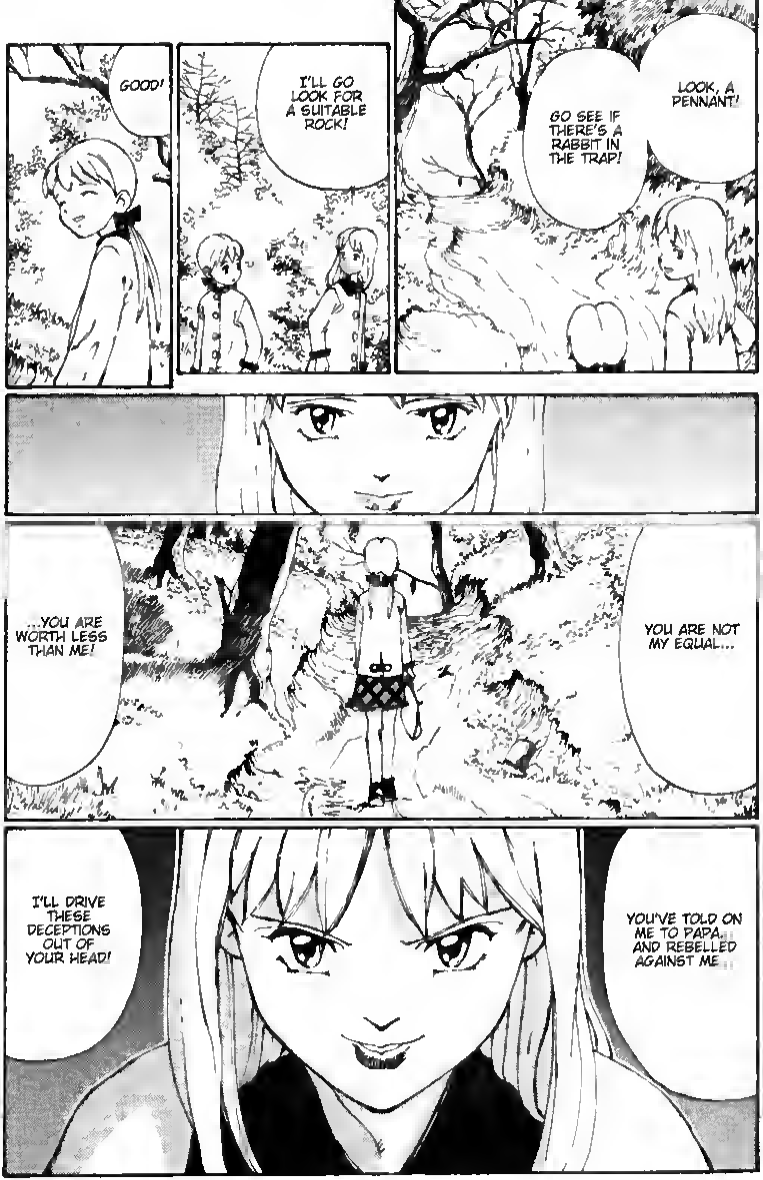
...VENDEMIAIRE?
HOW IS SHE DOING...
SHOULD YOUR DAUGHTER DISAPPEAR SOMETIME, I'LL GIVE YOU THE PUPPET...
AFTER ALL, SHE'S SUPPOSED TO COPY THE CHARACTER OF YOUR DAUGHTER GO AHEAD AND KEEP HER FOR A WHILE LONGER
THERE'S STILL TIME BEFORE SHE H..S TO BE RETURNED.
WHAT'S UP?
DON'T BE SO ROUGH. I ONLY WANTED TO ASK ABOUT HER!
...IN RE..LITY, THEY ACTUALLY WISH THEY'D ST..Y YOUNG AND GENTLE FOREVER.
WHILE IT'S TRUE THAT PARENTS ENJOY WATCHING THEIR CHILDREN GROW UP...

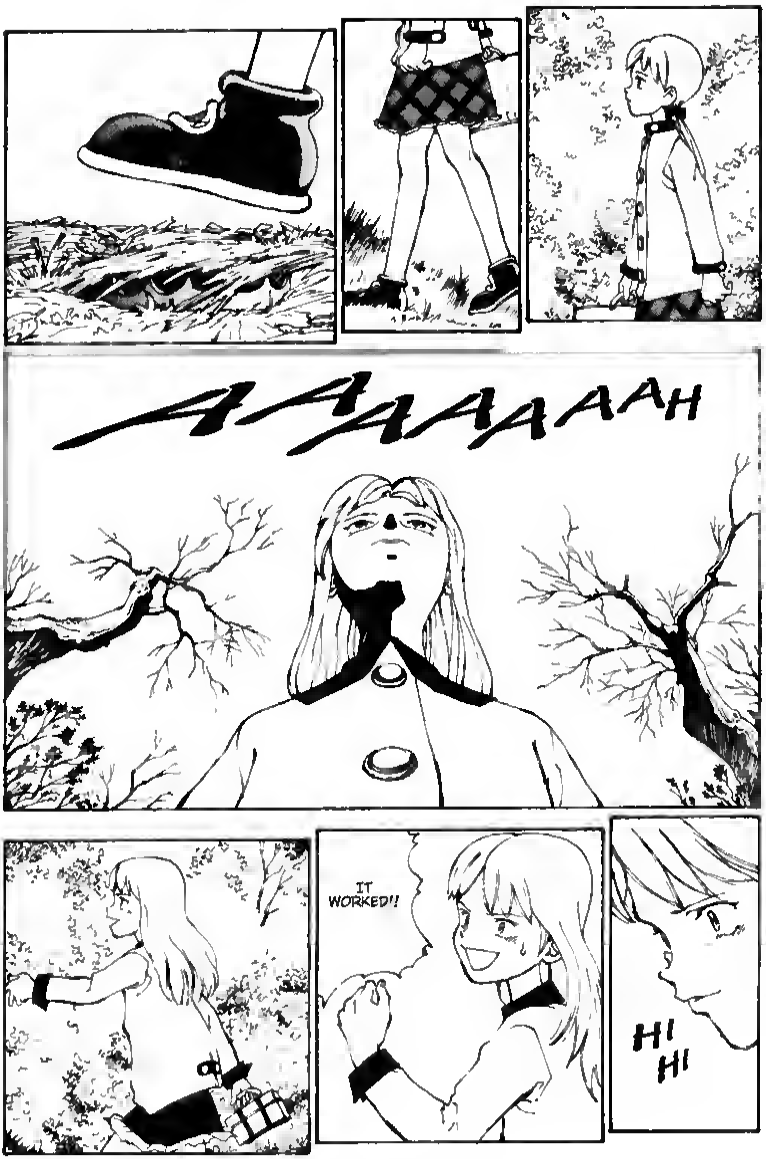
...HE SHOULD TAKE THE KING'S WORDS TO HEART!
CLAP
AND WHEN THE PUPPET THAT HE HAS BUILT IS DISOBEDIENT ...
IT'S THE SAME FOR ANY MAN.
SHE MIGHT BE HEADSTRONG AT TIMES AND PLAY PRANKS...
MY DAUGHTER IS A GOOD CHILD!
AND HOW'S YOUR DAUGHTER?
THAT'S WHAT ONE LIKES TO HEAR.
...AND DOES WHAT I TELL HER TO.
...BUT SHE HELPS AROUND THE HOUSE...

I HOPE YOUR DAUGHTER'S NOT PUTTING UP...
...FALSE FRONT!
WHERE ARE WE GOING, BRUMAIRE?
WAIT AND SEE...
WHAT ?!
WE CAN'T DO THAT!
THAT'S GOING TOO FAR!
STOP THERE!!
PUT THE PENNANT UP...
...BEHIND THE TRAP!

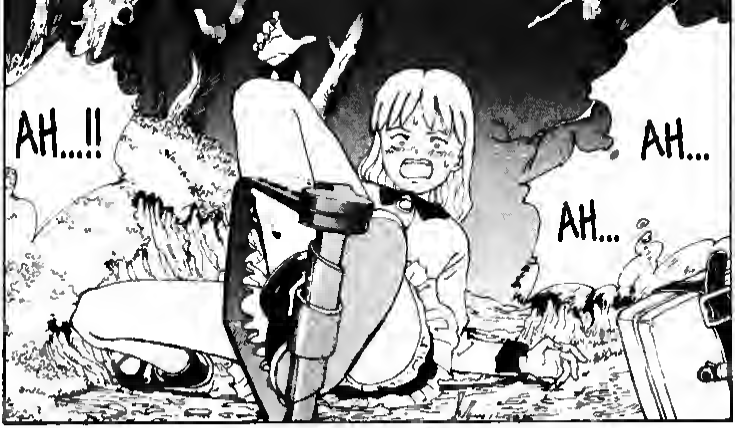
I HATE THIS TOWN...
AND...
HM?
VENDE-MIAIRE...
I HATE PAPA
THE BEST WOULD BE IF I COULD GO RIGHT AWAY!
AND PLAY THE GOOD DAUGHTER!
BUT UNTIL THAT DAY COMES, I HAVE TO OBEY HIM...
ONE DAY I'M GOING TO RUN AWAY!

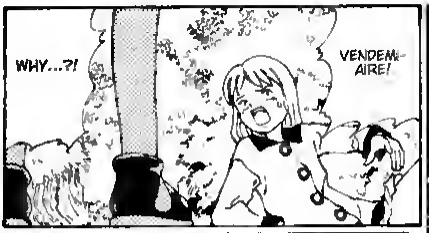

THAT YOU'RE TORMENTED...
I KNOW...
I WANT...
...US TO BE FRIENDS!
AHA...
YOU KNOW THEN...
THAT MAKES IT EASIER FOR ME...

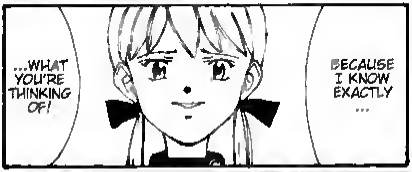

GOOD!
I'LL GO LOOK FOR A SUITABLE ROCK!
GO SEE IF THERE'S A RABBIT IN THE TRAP!
LOOK, A PENNANT!
...YOU ARE WORTH LESS THAN ME!
YOU ARE NOT MY EQUAL...
I'LL DRIVE THESE DECEPTIONS OUT OF YOUR HEAD!
YOU'VE TOLD ON ME TO PAPA... AND REBELLED AGAINST ME...

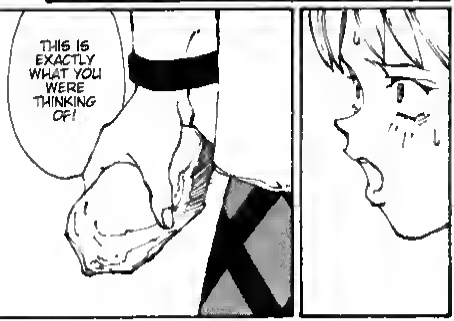

AAAAAAAH
IT WORKED!!
HI HI

GASH
AH...?


AH...!!
AH...
AH...

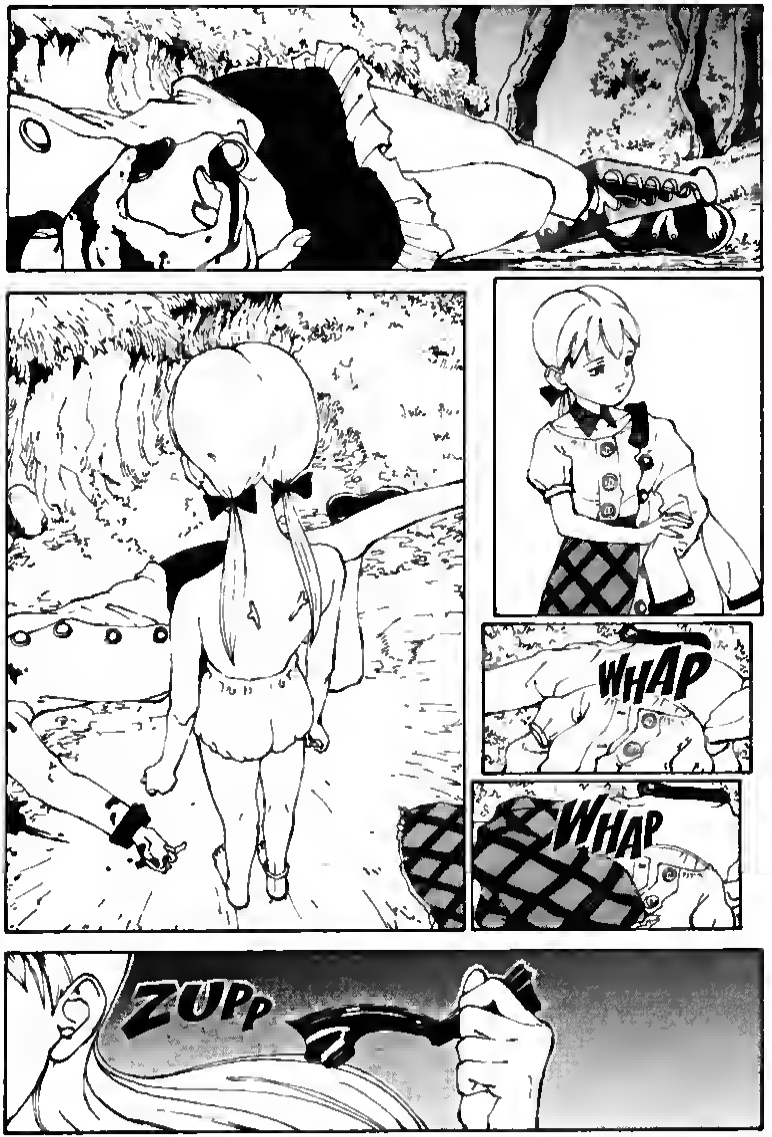

WHY...?!
VENDEMIAIRE!


...WHAT YOU'RE THINKING OF!
BECAUSE I KNOW EXACTLY ...

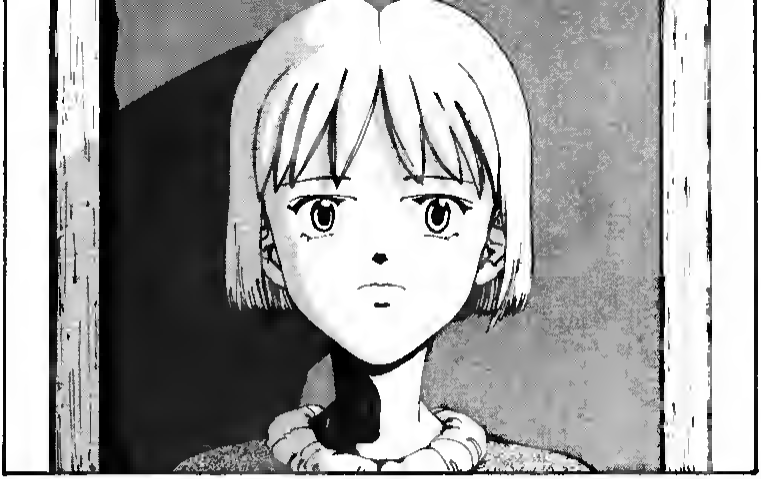

THIS IS EXACTLY WHAT YOU WERE THINKING OF!

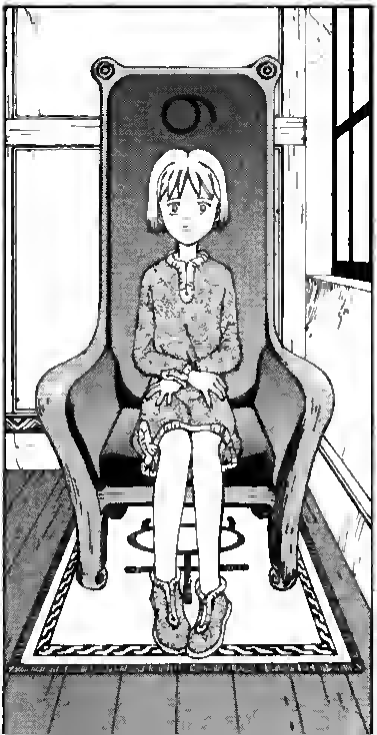
YOU HAD...
...MANY WORRIES IN LIFE, RIGHT?
I'LL FREE YOU...
...FROM THESE WORRIES!

WHAT IS IT?
GOOD-BYE...
I SHALL LEAVE YOU NOW.
SHE'S BEING PUNISHED FOR THE SINS OF HER PARENTS...
DOSH

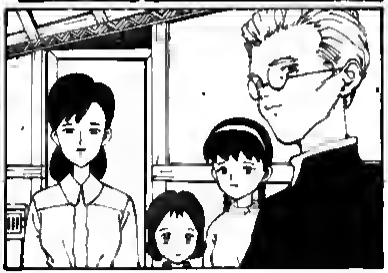

WHAP
WHAP
ZUPP

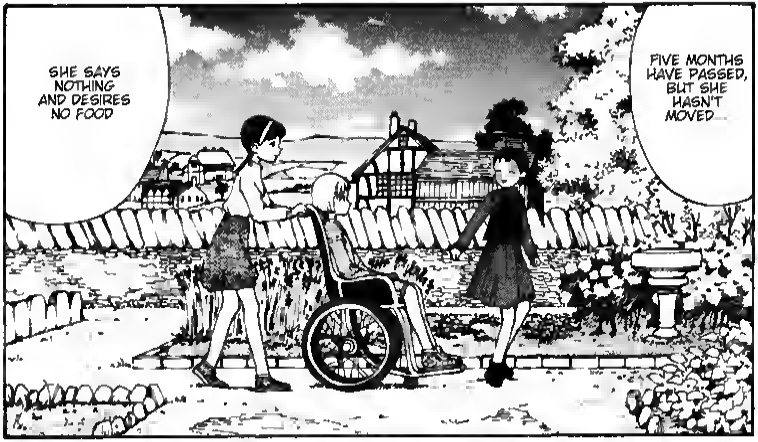
SO!
AND NOW WE'RE LEAVING THE TOWN...
BRUMAIRE



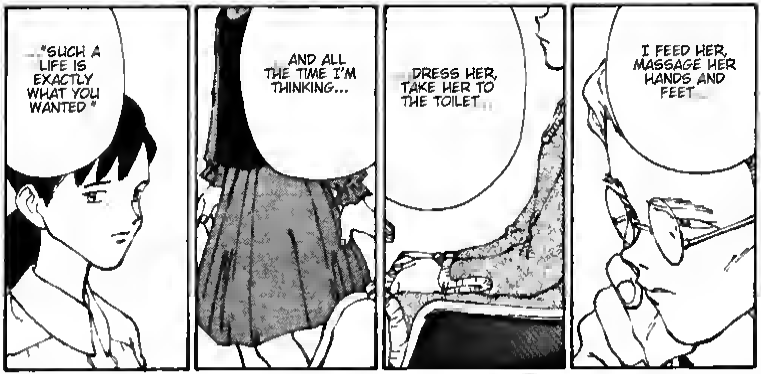


GOOD DAY, FATHER!
HOW ARE YOU DOING TODAY, BRUMAIRE?



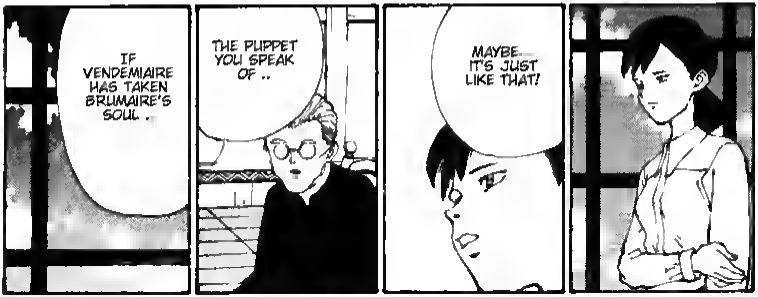

SHE SAYS NOTHING AND DESIRES NO FOOD
FIVE MONTHS HAVE PASSED, BUT SHE HASN'T MOVED...

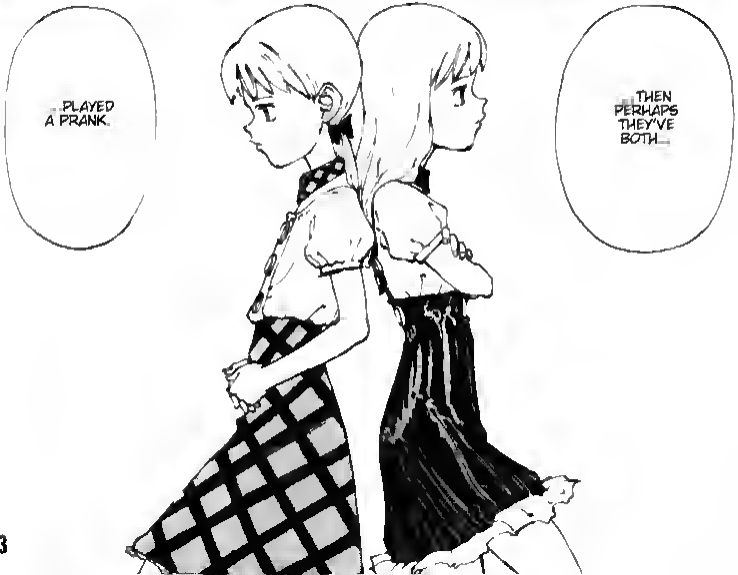
ALMOST LIKE...
...A PUPPET...

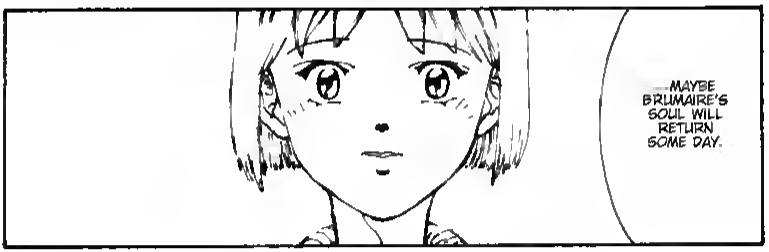

..."SUCH A LIFE IS EXACTLY WHAT YOU WANTED."
AND ALL THE TIME I'M THINKING...
...DRESS HER, TAKE HER TO THE TOILET...
I FEED HER, MASSAGE HER HANDS AND FEET...

...AND HAD THE ROLE OF A CHILD FORCED UPON HER!
...WHILE BRUMAIRE GREW UP.
MAYBE IT WAS ME...
...WHO WAS DEPENDANT ON HER...
PERHAPS IN REALITY I WAS THE CHILD...
YOU'RE EXHAUSTED. REST...
THIS SOUNDS LIKE A CONFESSION...
IT PROBABLY IS ONE...

...THAT THIS IS JUST ONE OF BRUMAIRE'S PRANKS...
WHAT I WOULD GIVE TO FIND OUT...


IF VENDEMIAIRE HAS TAKEN BRUMAIRE'S SOUL...
THE PUPPET YOU SPEAK OF..
MAYBE... IT'S JUST LIKE THAT!


...PLAYED A PRANK.
THEN PERHAPS THEY'VE BOTH...



End of Chapter 5

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無意味なほどに精密な
マクロコスモスのまがい物。
脳。その扉の奥から
断片的にもたらされる
粗悪なパズルのピース。
その第2片をお届けします。

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飛べない翼は自由な魂の象徴。
作り物の体が宿した魂は、
どんな障害にもくじけることを知らない。
少女の名前はヴァンデミエール。
せいいっぱい広げた 飾りものの翼は、
彼女たちをどこへ導くのか。
19世紀のヨーロッパに似た世界から始まった、
仿徨の物語がいま完結。

「人間のまがい物」
「天使のまがい物」
「機械のまがい物」
ヴァンデミエール、
それは魂を宿した自律胴人形。

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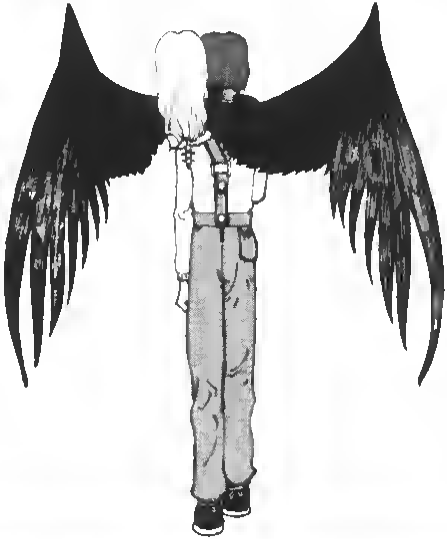

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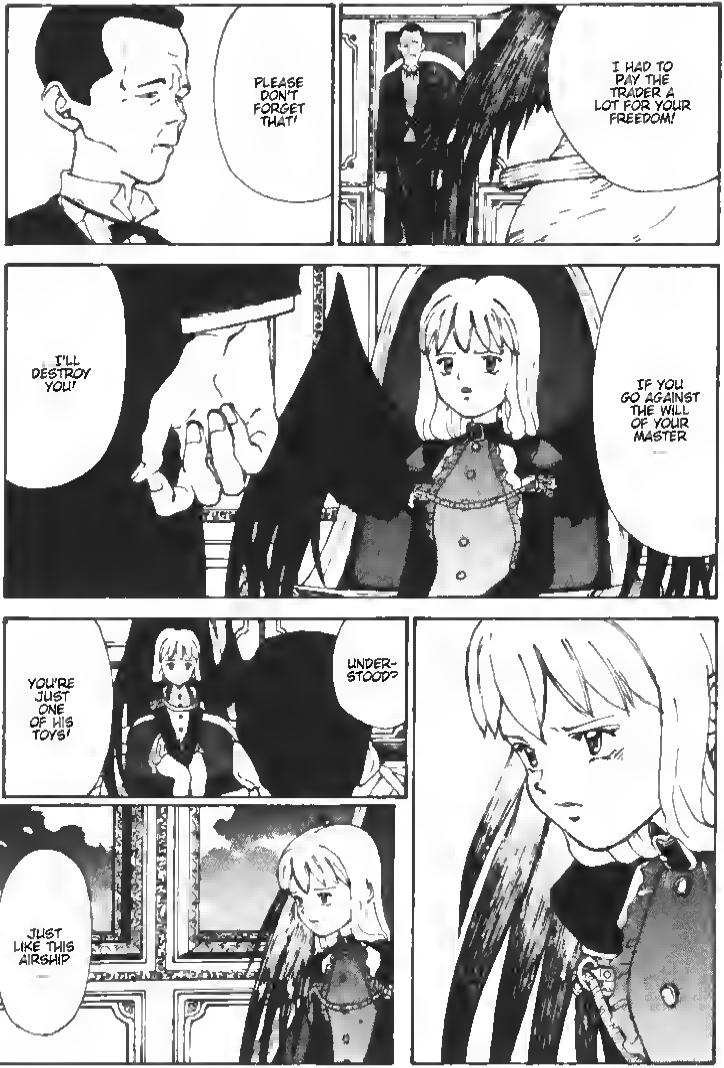
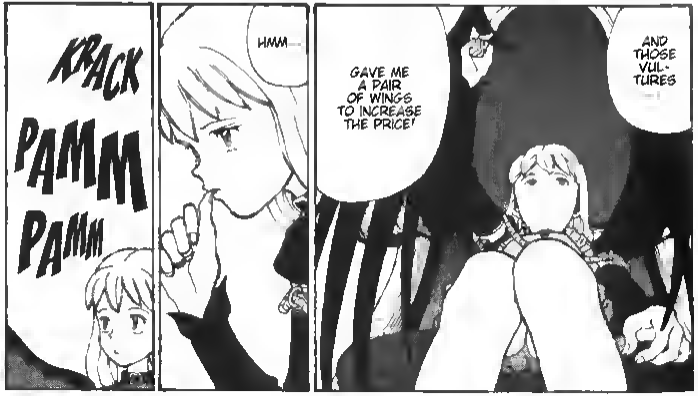
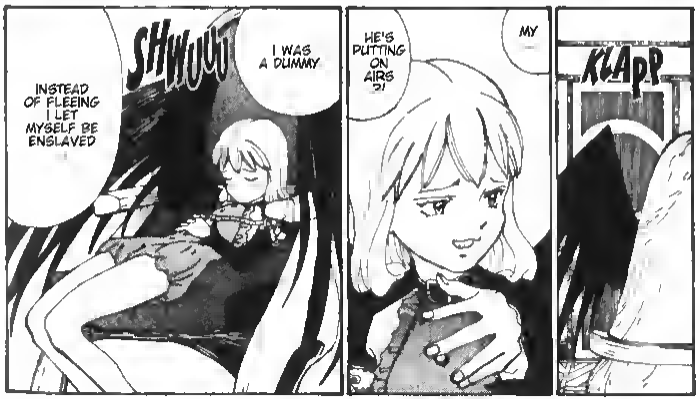
BRUMAIRE -SAMA!
NO MATTER HOW IN FAVOUR YOU MIGHT BE WITH YOUR MASTER
...IF YOU GO ON LIKE THIS IT'LL END IN A BAD WAY!

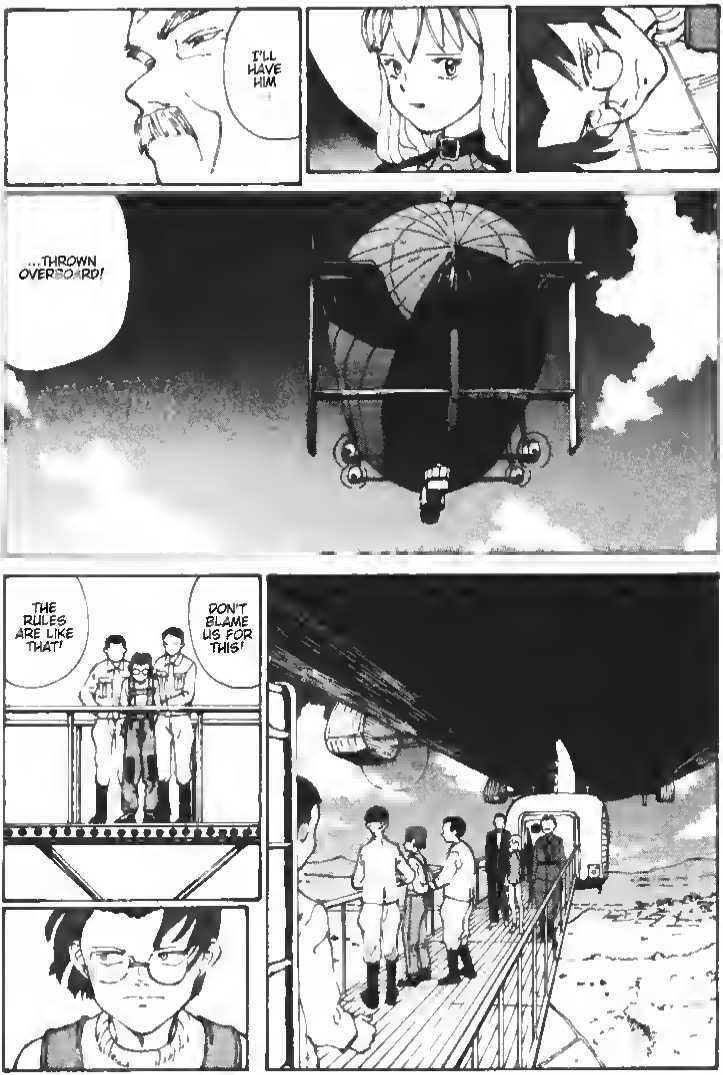

PLEASE DON'T FORGET THAT!
I HAD TO PAY THE TRADER A LOT FOR YOUR FREEDOM!
I'LL DESTROY YOU!
IF YOU GO AGAINST THE WILL OF YOUR MASTER
YOU'RE JUST ONE OF HIS TOYS!
UNDER-STOOD?
JUST LIKE THIS AIRSHIP

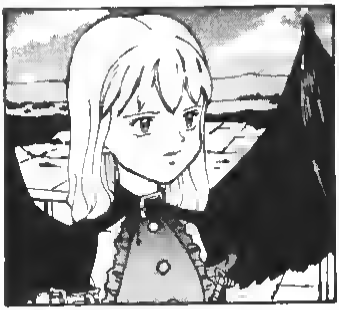
FHU FHU FHU FHU FHU FHU FHU


KRACK
PAMM
PAMM
HMM...
GAVE ME A PAIR OF WINGS TO INCREASE THE PRICE!
AND THOSE VUL-TURES

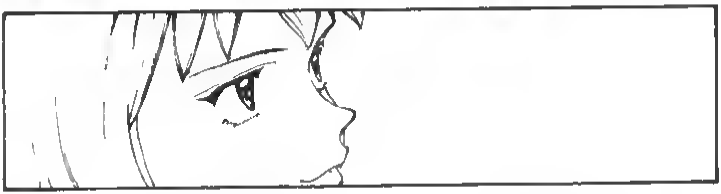

INSTEAD OF FLEEING I LET MYSELF BE ENSLAVED
SHWUUU
I WAS A DUMMY
HE'S PUTTING ON AIRS ?!
MY
KLAPP

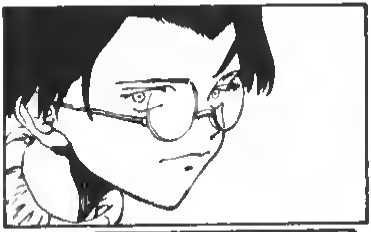
A STOW-AWAY.
WHO'S THIS GUY?
WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO WITH HIM, MASTER?
THE DIFFER-ENCE WAS NORMAL ...
WASN'T THE WEIGHT CHECKED?


I'LL HAVE HIM
...THROWN OVERBOARD!
THE RULES ARE LIKE THAT!
DON'T BLAME US FOR THIS!



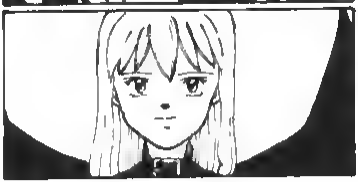
COME ON

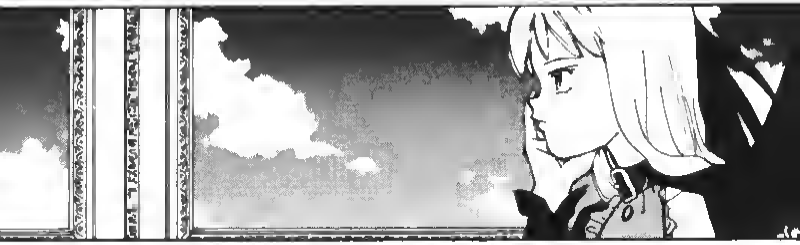




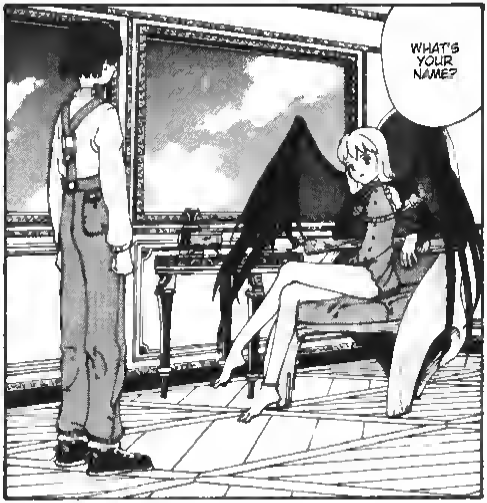
MAY HE BE RELEASED ON MY ACCOUNT?
PLEASE, MASTER

HA HA HA
YOU SHOULD HAVE YOUR PLAYMATES!

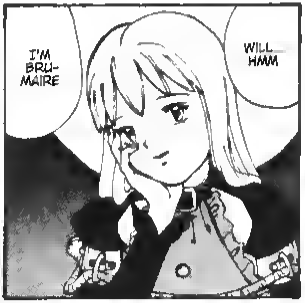




WILL...

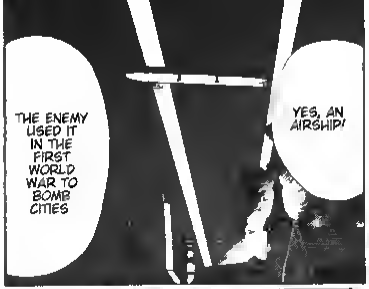

WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

I SAVED YOU SO TALK TO ME!
I'M GETTING BORED HERE!


I'M BRU-MAIRE
WILL... HMM

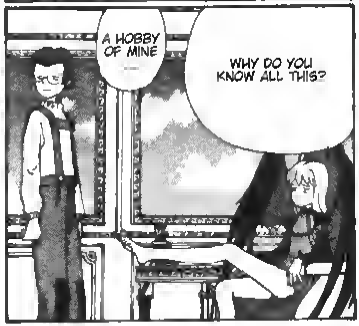
ABOUT THE AIRSHIP
THEN LET'S TALK
THIS AIRSHIP
THAT'S BORING
HUH?
WILL CRASH

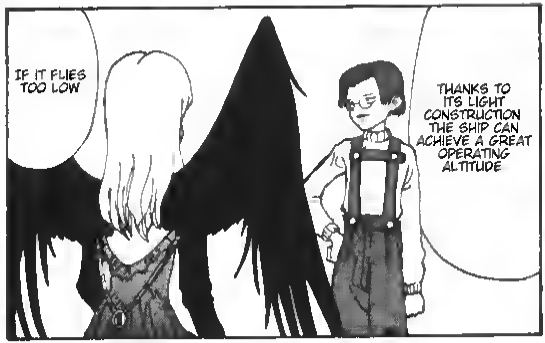
IT'S HARDLY MOVING FORWARD
NOT AT THIS ALTITUDE
—AND AT HIGH ALTITUDE
IN HEADWINDS
MAXIMUM SPEED OF OVER 120KM/H
THIS SHIP SHOULD BE CAPABLE OF MORE!
COW-ARD!
BY ALL MEANS, BUT I'M NOT TAKING RESPONSIBILITY!
INCREASE THE SPEED SOME MORE!
BUT IF LOW TEMPERATURE AND OXYGEN CONCENTRATION DON'T BOTHER YOU


THE ENEMY USED IT IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR TO BOMB CITIES
YES, AN AIRSHIP!

A ZEPPELIN?

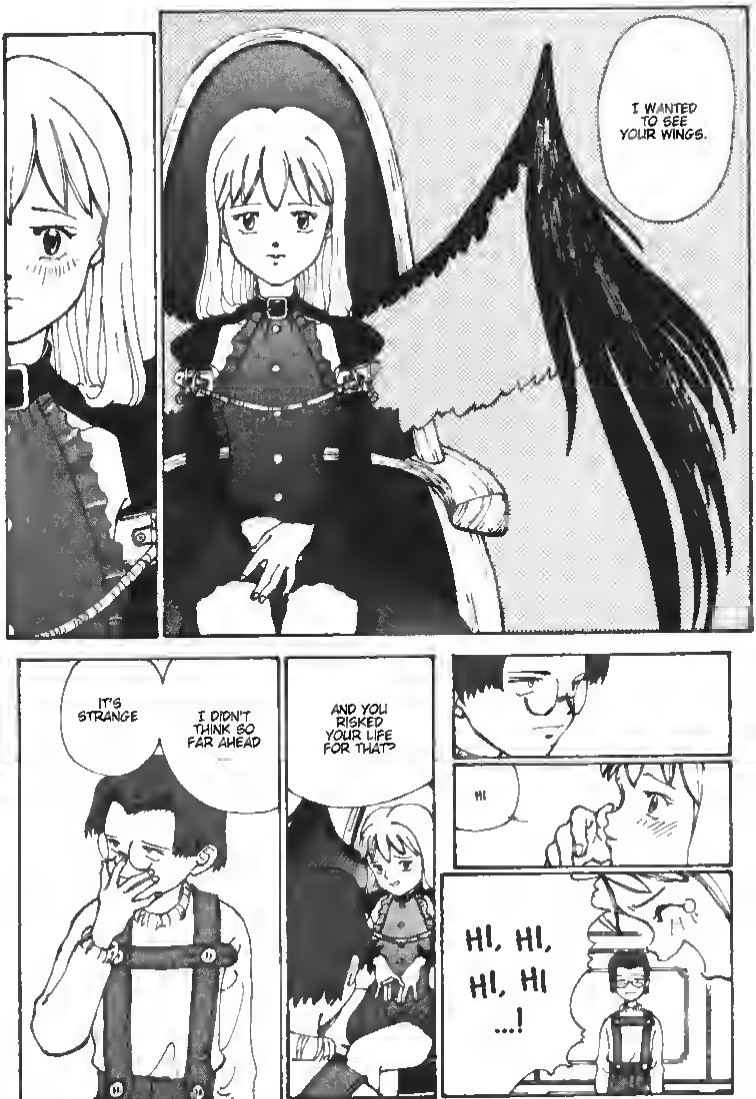
AND THE MASTER BOUGHT IT.
THE MILITARY CONFISCATED IT AS SPOILS OF WAR


A HOBBY OF MINE
WHY DO YOU KNOW ALL THIS?

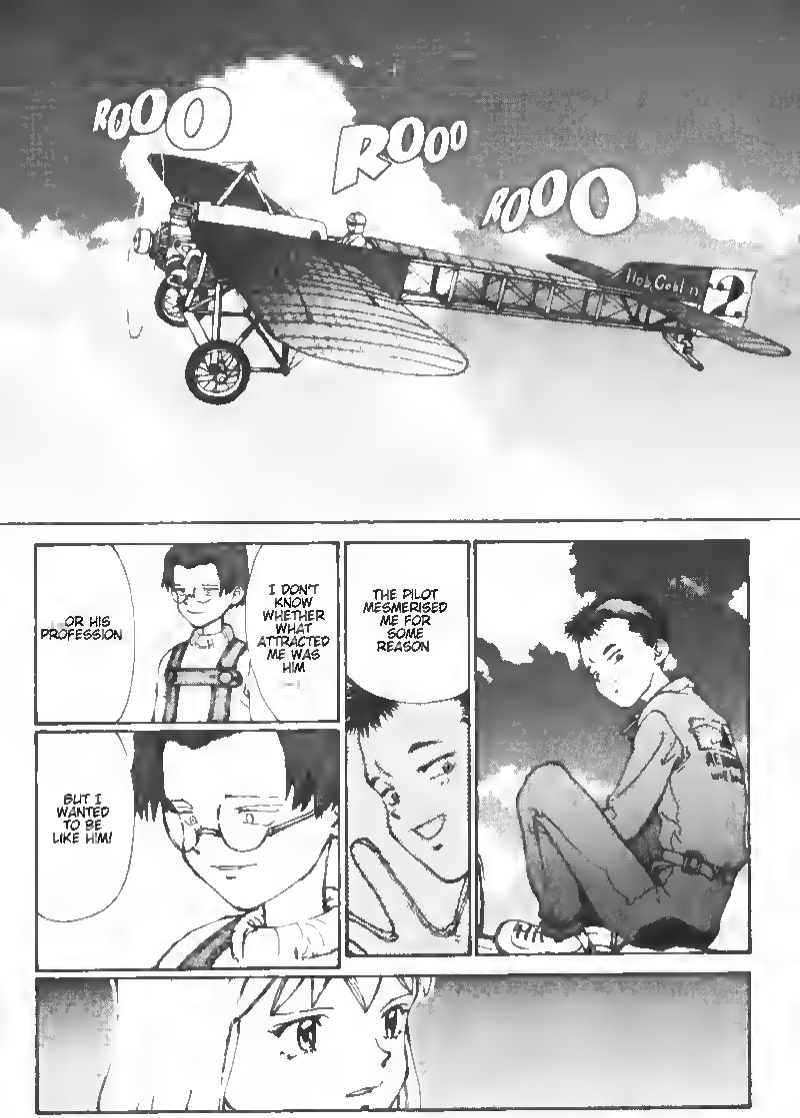

IF IT FLIES TOO LOW
THANKS TO ITS LIGHT CONSTRUCTION THE SHIP CAN ACHIEVE A GREAT OPERATING ALTITUDE

PFFF

THAT IT MIGHT BREAK APART IN THE DENSE ATMOSPHERE
THERE'S THE GRAVE DANGER
HMM?
BUT WHY ARE YOU HERE THEN?
A STRONG GUST WOULD BE ENOUGH
NOBODY KNOWS WHAT'LL HAPPEN THEN


I WANTED TO SEE YOUR WINGS.
IT'S STRANGE
I DIDN'T THINK SO FAR AHEAD
AND YOU RISKED YOUR LIFE FOR THAT?
HI
HI, HI, HI, HI ...!

NO
LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT?
PFF. SILLY GUY!
YOU COULD BE A LITTLE MORE TACTFUL, YOU KNOW!
AN AERIAL ACROBAT WAS IN TOWN
I SAW MY FIRST AIRPLANE AT 7
WHY THEN? UP HERE WE'RE ALONE
DO YOU WANT TO BE A PILOT?


ROOO
ROOO
ROOO
Hob Goblin
2
I DON'T KNOW WHETHER WHAT ATTRACTED ME WAS HIM
OR HIS PROFESSION
THE PILOT MESMERISED ME FOR SOME REASON
BUT I WANTED TO BE LIKE HIM!

GO AHEAD
I'D LIKE TO HAVE A CLOSER LOOK AT YOUR WINGS
THEY'RE A PART OF ME!
WHAT? NO!
A MASTERFUL PIECE OF HANDIWORK!
VERY CLEVERLY DONE!
WOOD?
...THE DEVIL!
FOR I AM
SHUU

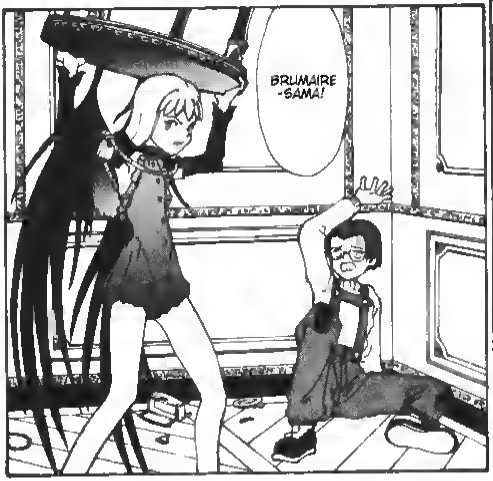
I WAS BANISHED FROM THE EARTH AND I SLINK ABOUT HERE WITHOUT GETTING CLOSER TO THE HUMANS
AND SUCH A SLY DEVIL ALLOWS HERSELF TO BE CAPTURED BY HUMANS
I DO IT OUT OF SYMPATHY
FOR THE MASTER!!
YOU ONLY SAVED ME
SO THAT I WOULD SHARE YOUR FATE
YOU'RE A PRISONER ON THIS SHIP
JUST LIKE I AM!
I CAN ESCAPE ANYTIME!

...THIS GREAT IDIOT!
YOU HAVE TO HUMOUR ...
PAAAFF
PLINK

OH, WHAT'S THIS?
HA
EVERYTHING'S DISTORTED SUDDENLY!
JUMP OVERBOARD IF IT DOESN'T SUIT YOU HERE!

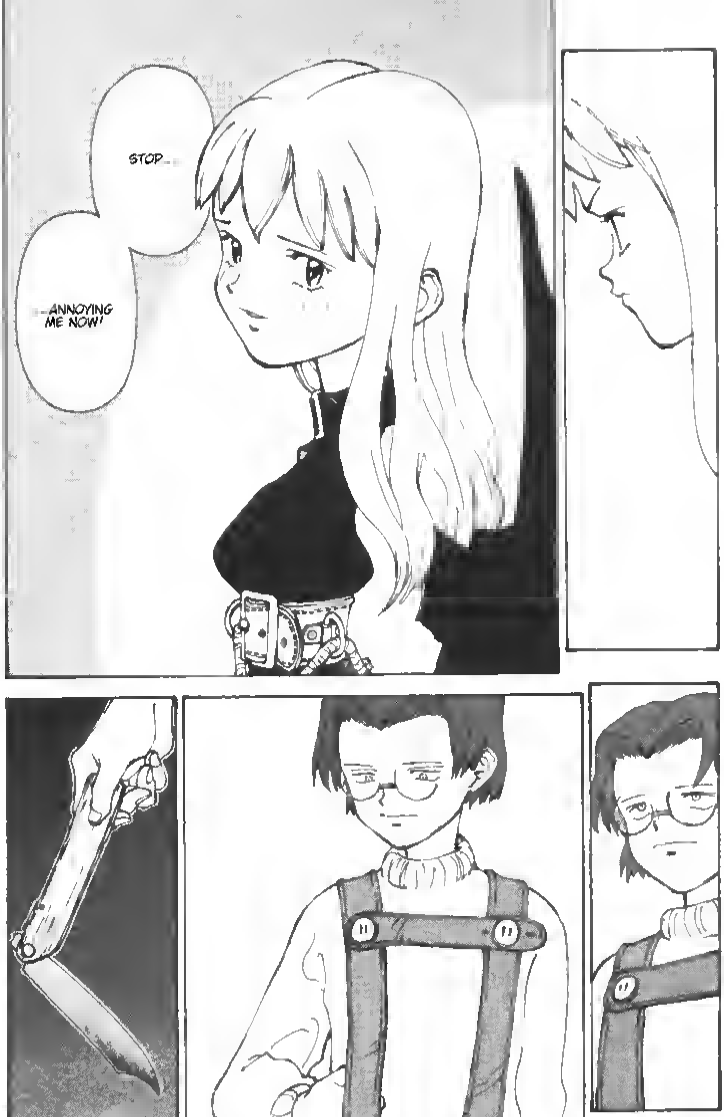
I'LL KILL YOU!
YOU...
AH!

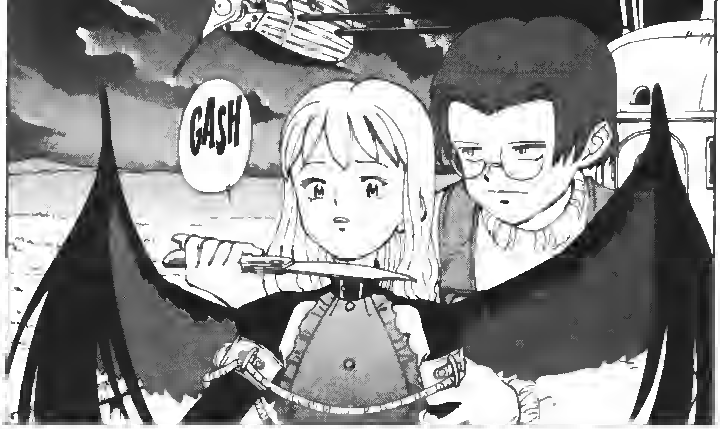
KLONK
BAMM

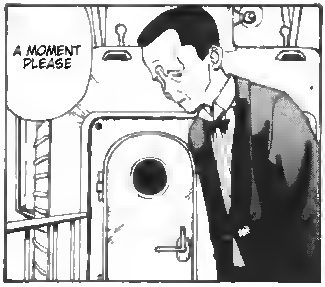

BRUMAIRE -SAMA!

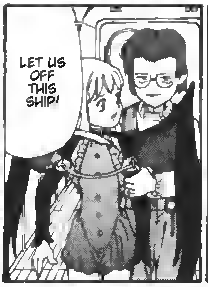
IT'S GOING TO BE TIME
THE MASTER IS WAITING FOR HIS TEA

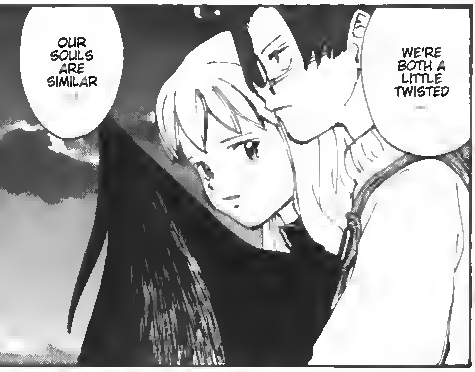
GO AWAY!
OR DO YOU WANT TO GLOAT OVER MY MISERY?
WHY DON'T YOU ESCAPE?
THAT WAY YOU'D KEEP YOUR SELF-RESPECT!

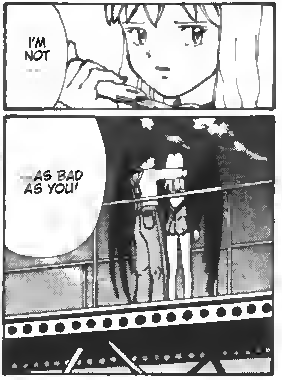

STOP...
...ANNOYING ME NOW!

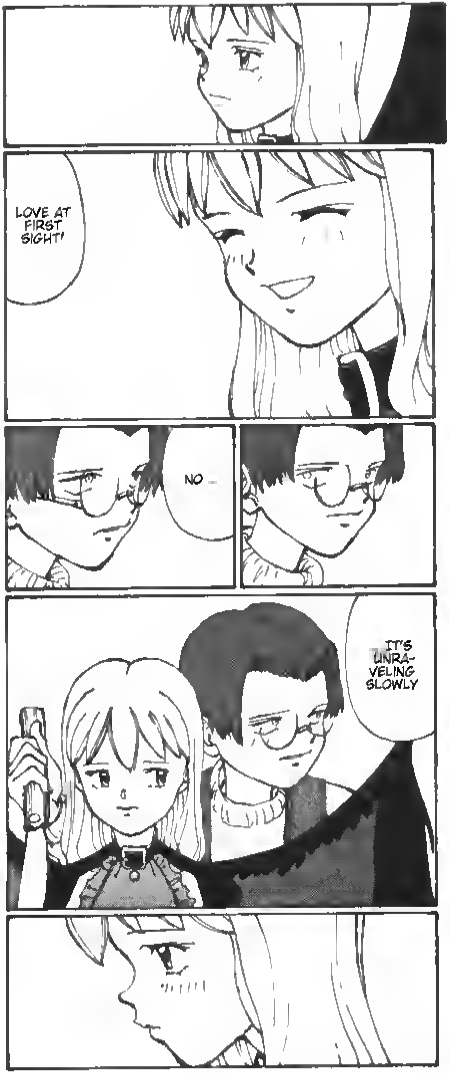

GASH


A MOMENT PLEASE


LET US OFF THIS SHIP!


OUR SOULS ARE SIMILAR
WE'RE BOTH A LITTLE TWISTED

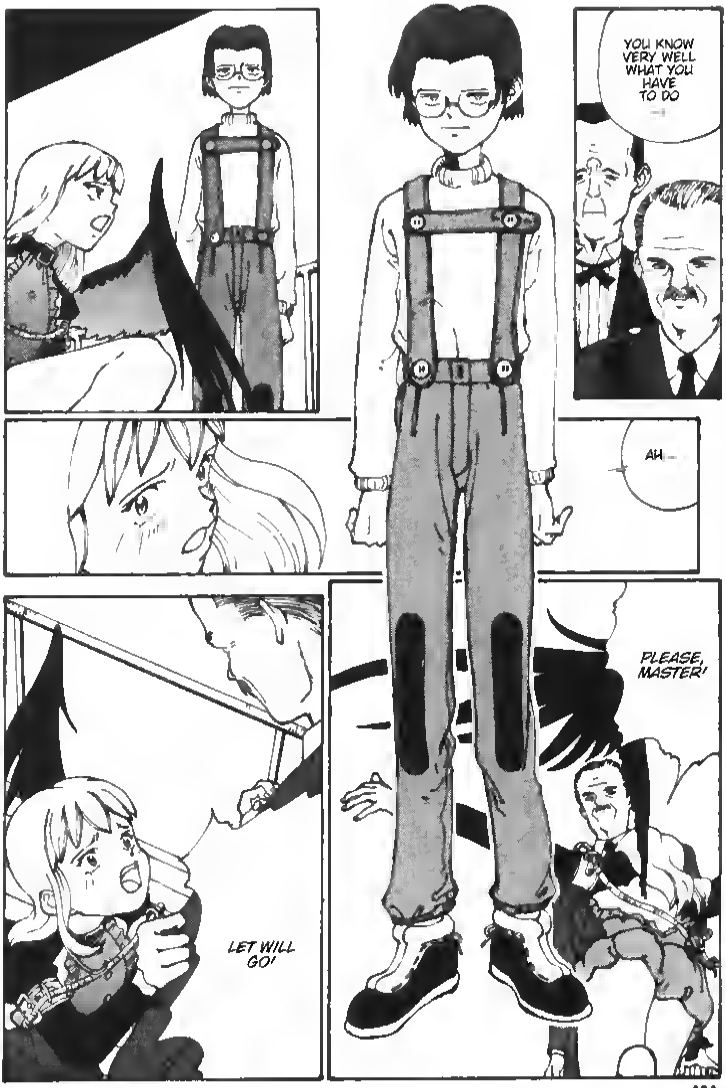

I'M NOT
AS BAD AS YOU!


LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT!
NO
IT'S UNRAVELING SLOWLY
I WANT TO SAVE YOU!

LET US GO, OR I'LL KILL THE GIRL!
DO WHAT YOU LIKE
I DON'T CARE!

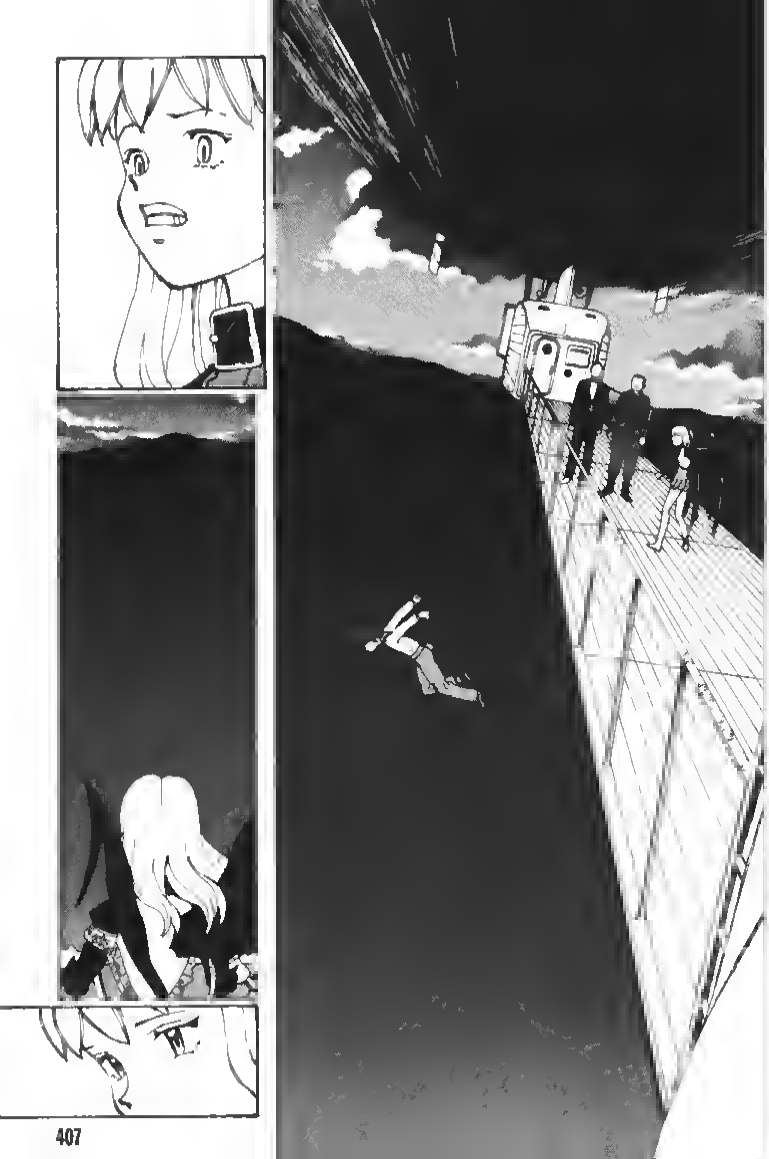
IT'S EASY TO SEE THROUGH YOU ...
...BUT I CAN'T LEAVE BRUMAIRE IN YOUR HANDS!
I'D RATHER ....
DESTROY HER!
AH...
PASH
GUNK

ST...
STOP IT!
44H..
WOOSH
Ichock
LET HER GO.
I KNEW IT!
DOSH

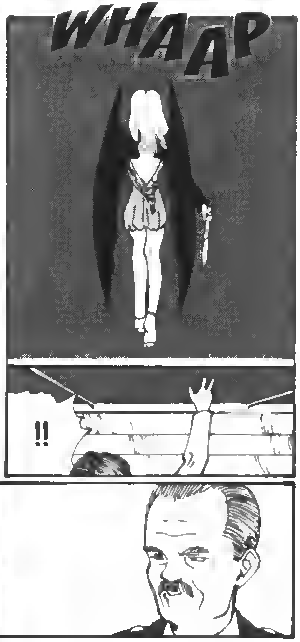

YOU KNOW VERY WELL WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO
AH...
PLEASE, MASTER!
LET WILL GO!

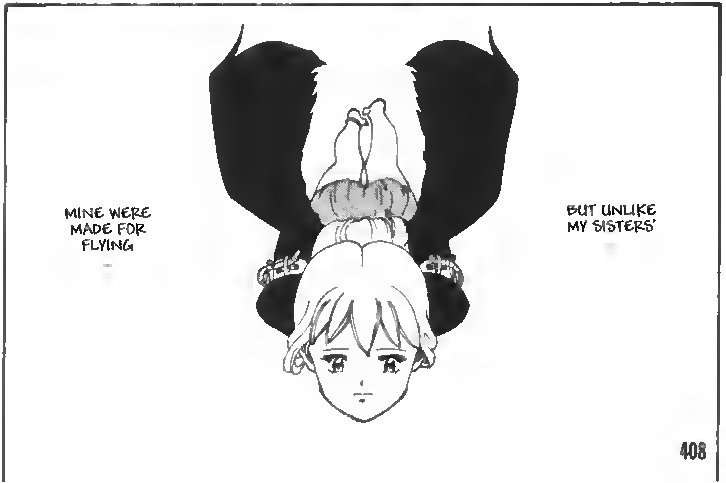
YOU ARE JUST A THING!
GONK
SHAAA

IF YOU GO ON
IT'LL ONLY END BADLY FOR YOU!
THAT'S ENOUGH!
I'M NOT WILL
I LIED TO YOU
I...
CAN FLY!
AND I...
I'M AVARY!



WHAT A STRANGE FEELING
FLYING WITH ARTIFICIAL WINGS OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN


WHAAP
!!

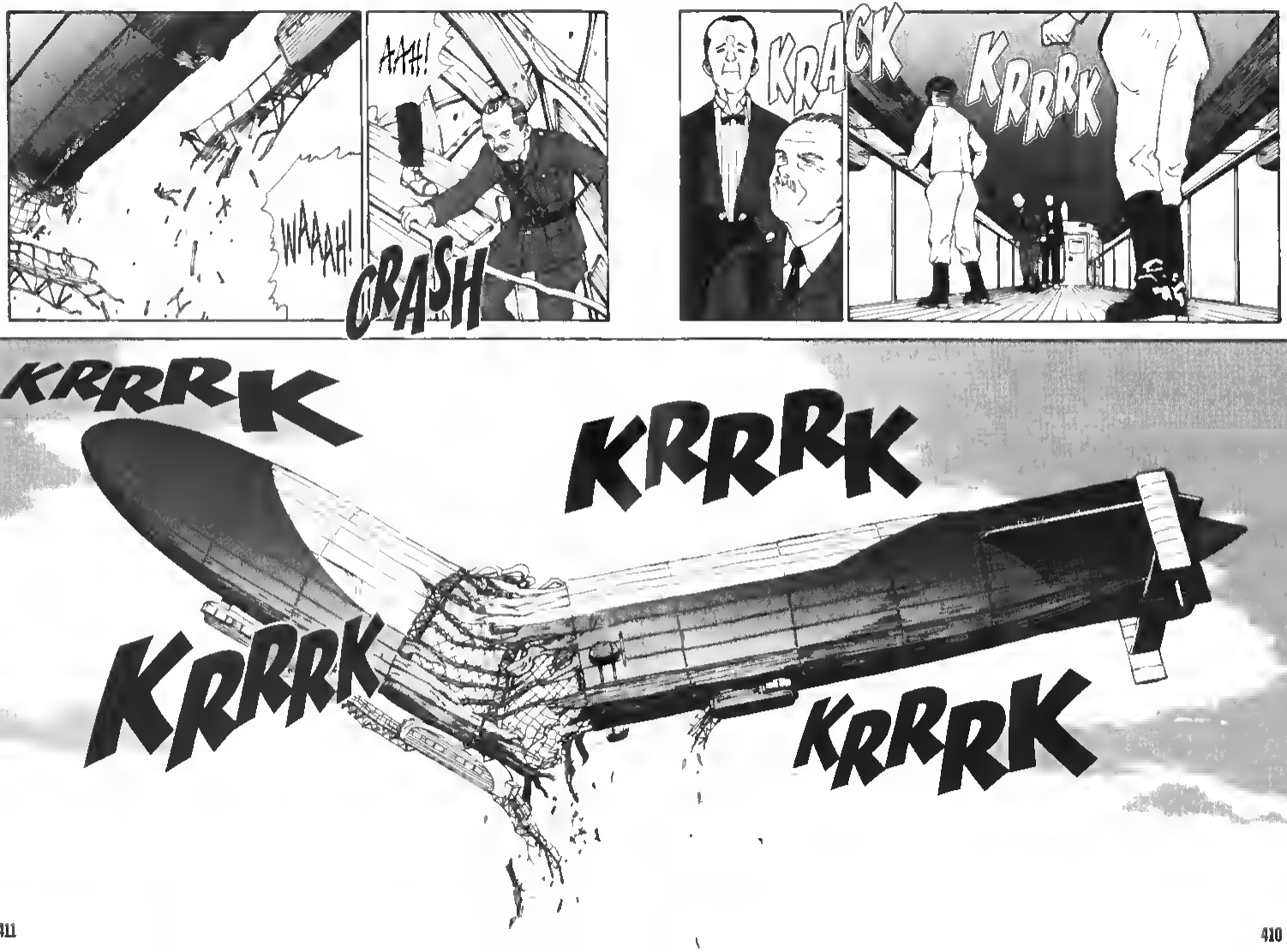

MINE WERE MADE FOR FLYING
BUT UNLIKE MY SISTERS'

I MUST

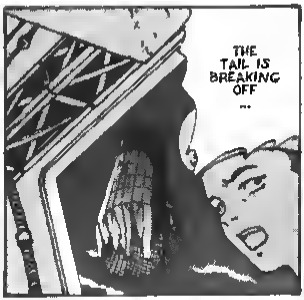
GET TO HIM!

BUT I'M

TOO HEAVY!

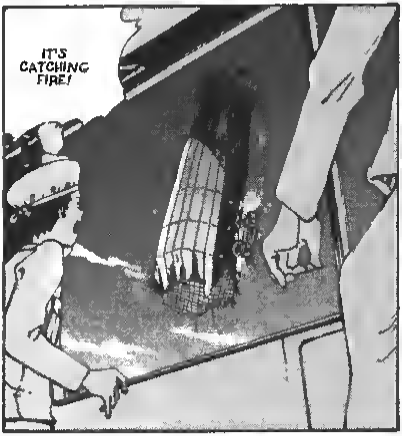

AAH!
WAAAAH!
CRASH
KRACK
KRRRK
KRRRK
KRRRK
KRRRK
KRRRK

AVARY!


THE TAIL IS BREAKING OFF ...

CLOSE THE VALVES!! OTHERWISE WE'LL CATCH FIRE!!
WHY ARE YOU ALL STANDING AROUND?!

WE'RE LOST


IT'S CATCHING FIRE!

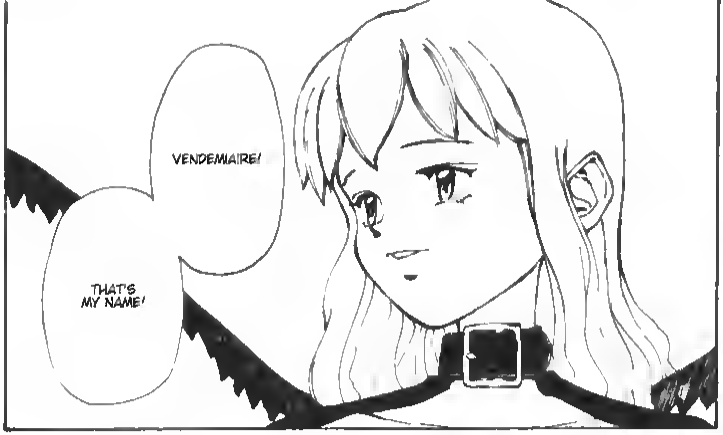
AH ..

BOOM

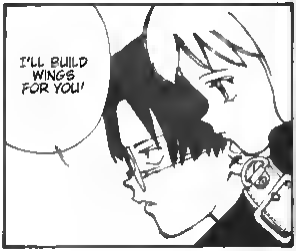
AAAAAH!

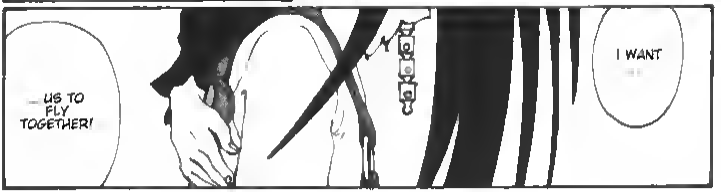
DOSH
BWA
HOW ABOUT YOU, BRUMAIRE?
MY ARM IS BROKEN
ARE YOU OKAY, AVARY?
OW...

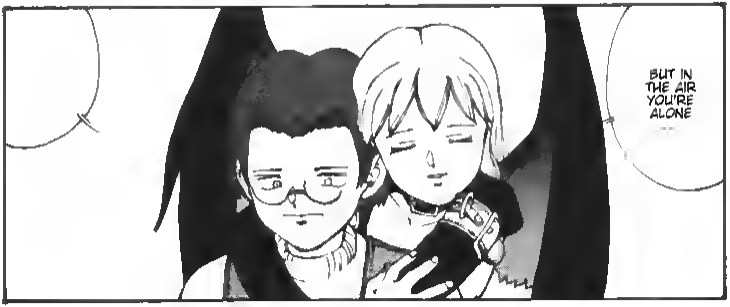
SHE WAS MY GREAT IDOL
I'M NOT BRUMAIRE
BUT THERE'S ONE MORE THING YOU SHOULD KNOW
AN EVEN SILLIER CREATURE THAN A DEVIL!
YOU YOU ARE


VENDEMIAIRE!
THAT'S MY NAME!

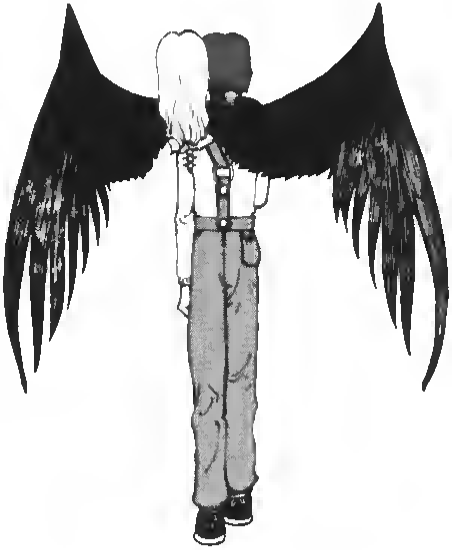
I COULDN'T REALLY FLY!


I'LL BUILD WINGS FOR YOU!


I WANT
—US TO FLY TOGETHER!



I'M NOT ALONE WITH YOU!



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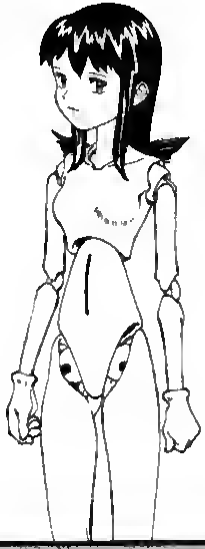

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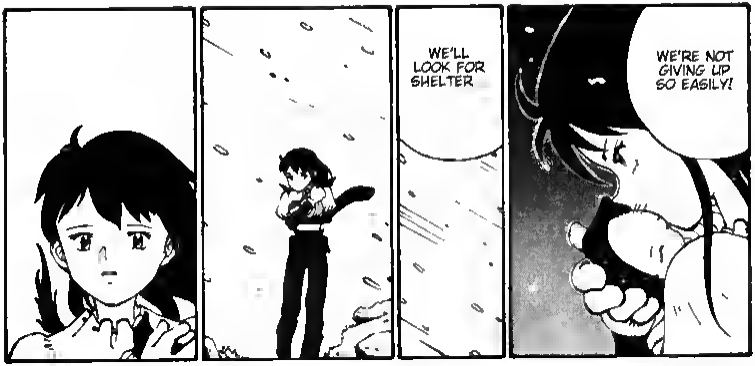
THE SKY'S GETTING DARK...
THE CLOUDS DO NOT LOOK WELL...
HEHE, YOU'RE SLEEPING WELL!
THERE'S SNOW...
LET'S HURRY.

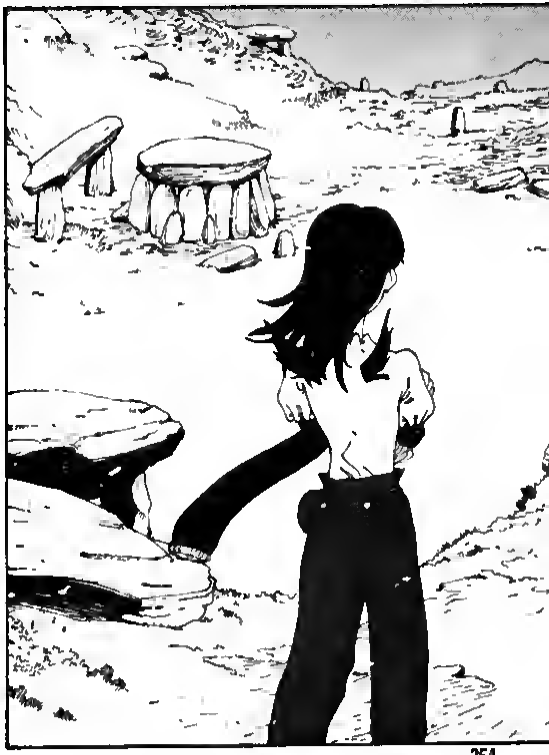
NOT SO HASTY, THE MILK IS PRETTY COLD
WAIT...
HUFF
HUFF
TAPP
TAPP
TAPP
TAPP

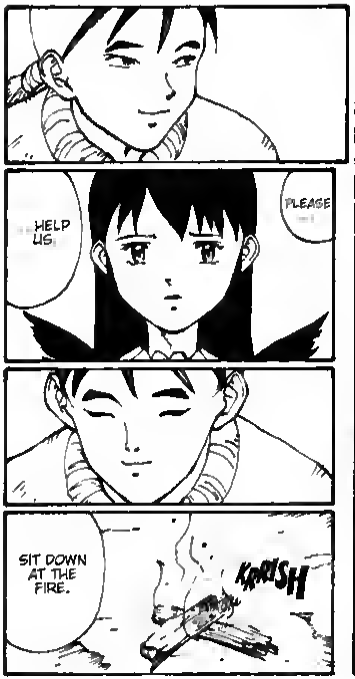
WHAT BRINGS A MOTHER WITH AN INFANT TO THESE PARTS?
EH...
I'LL EXPECT A LITTLE FAVOUR IN RETURN, OF COURSE!
SHOULD I ACCOMPANY YOU?
THE WAY OVER THE PASS IS VERY STEEP!

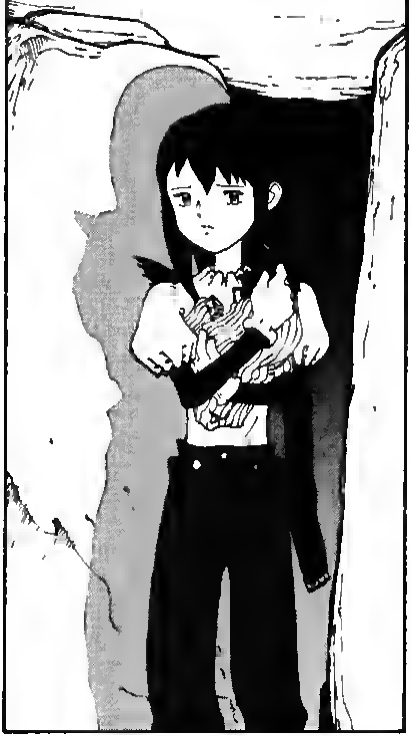
GOOD LUCK THEN.
I'LL MAKE IT.
IT'S NOT NECES-SARY.
YOU SHOULD SUCKLE THE INFANT!
IT OCCURRED TO ME .
YOU DIDN'T DRINK MUCH...
YOU INSOLENT BASTARD!!
HA HA HA

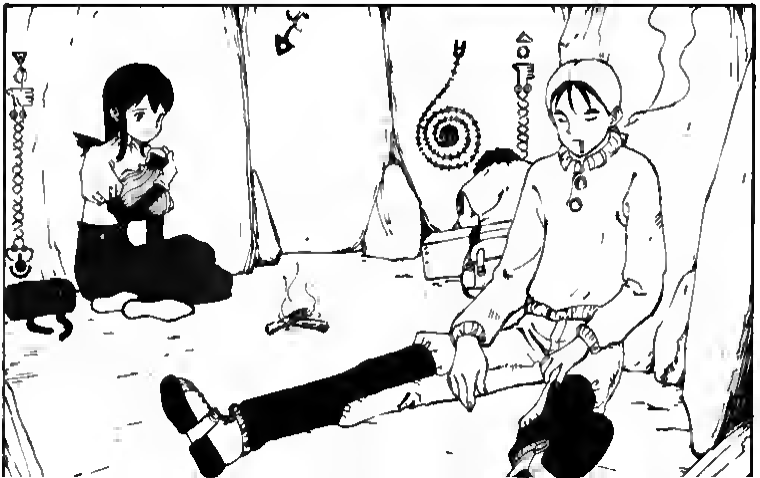
IT'S SNOWING!
HYUUUUUU
SLEEP, CHILD, SLEEP
WHOOO


WE'LL LOOK FOR SHELTER
WE'RE NOT GIVING UP SO EASILY!




HELP US.
PLEASE
SIT DOWN AT THE FIRE.
KRRISH

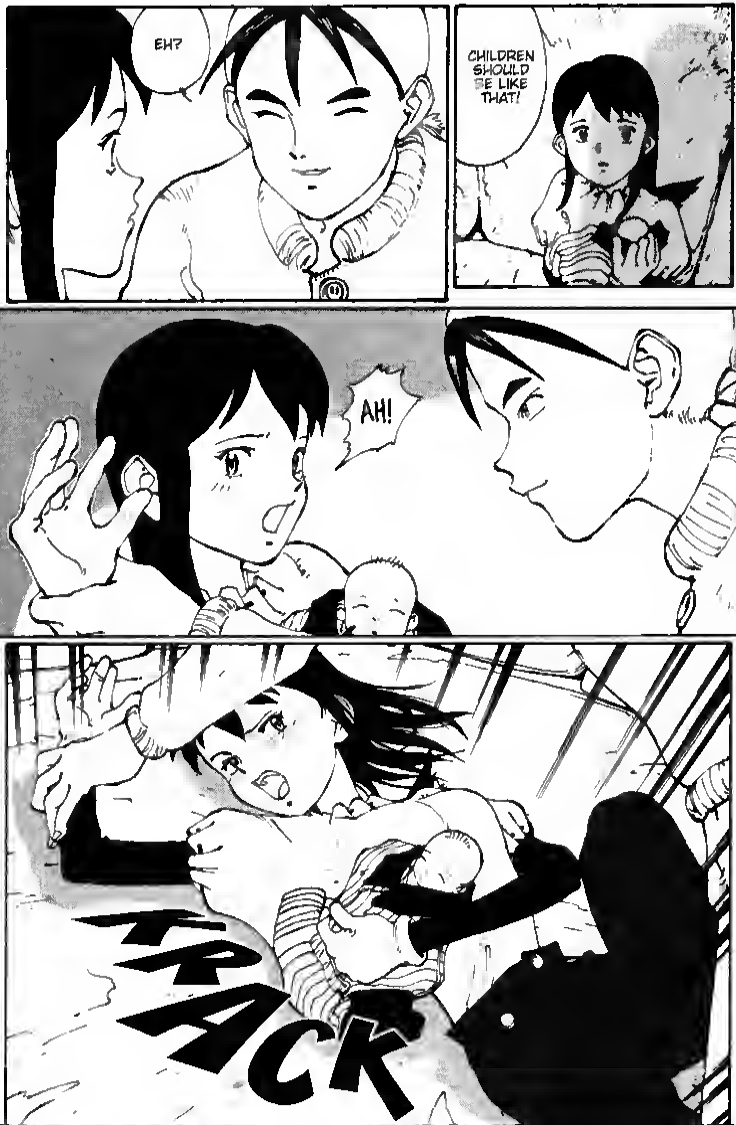




YOU WANT TO TRAVERSE THE PASS IN THOSE CLOTHES?
THE COLD OBVIOUSLY DOESN'T AFFECT YOU.
MAY I
ASK FOR A FAVOUR ...?
YOU'RE DEFINITELY NOT PERFECTLY NORMAL

WOULD YOU HOLD THE CHILD...
...FOR A MOMENT?
I CAN'T STAND KIDS
NO WAY.
WARM HER UP YOURSELF, IF YOU PLEASE!
WHAT?
HUH?
GYU

HYUUUU
CHRR
CHRR
A GOOD KID...
UAH!
HE'S NOT CRYING AT ALL


EH?
CHILDREN SHOULD BE LIKE THAT!
AH!
TRACK

WHAT ARE YOU THINKING...?
YOU PIG!
SHE'S NOT CRYING
STRANGE
ISN'T THAT WEIRD?!

PFFF
PUT ON MORE FIREWOOD.

PTCHH
AH.. FORGET IT...
SAY...
YOU'RE NOT HER MOTHER, ARE YOU?
HAVEN'T YOU REALISED SHE HAS A HIGH FEVER?

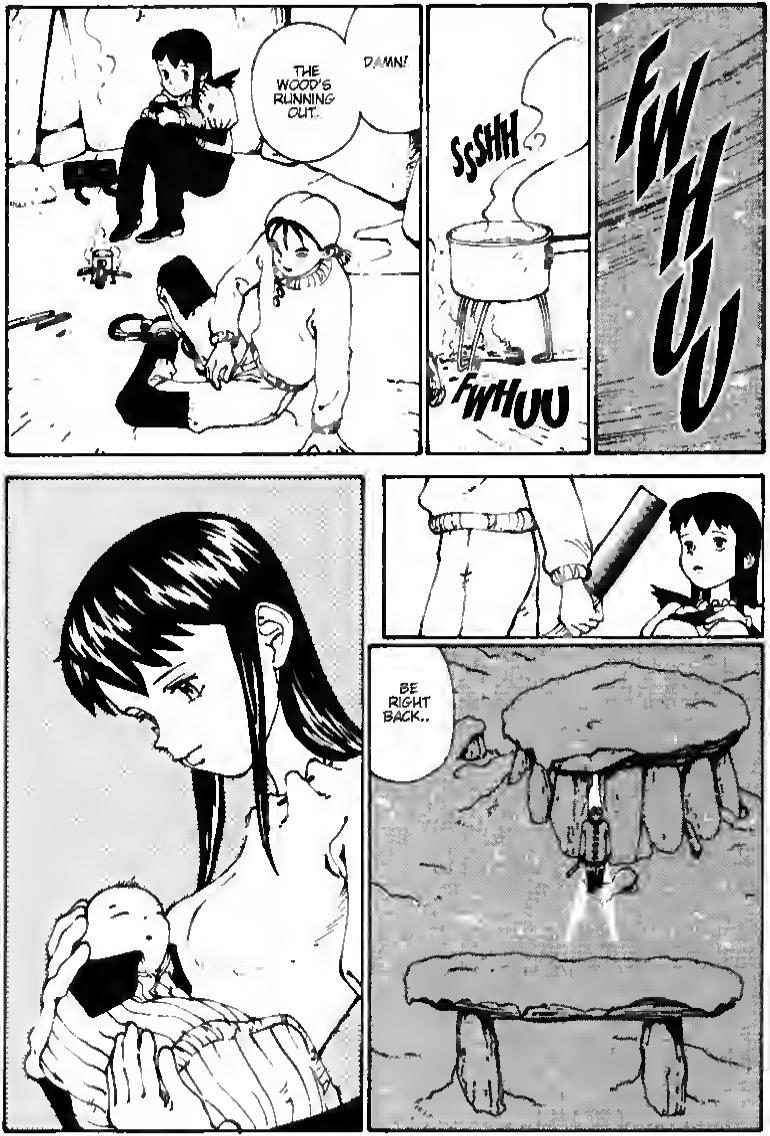
I WANT TO BRING HER TO THE ORPHANAGE BEYOND THE PASS.

IT WAS...
...ALREADY THERE...

...*OUR GOD IS NOT THE FATHER IN HEAVEN...
SO BEAUTIFUL, THAT ONE COMES UP WITH WORDS LIKE...
...BUT THE GODDESS MOTHER EARTH."
BUT...

THE FATHER WAS A PEDDLER...
AND HE DISAPPEARED.
SHE WAS A CHILD OF SIN.
IT WASN'T ME.
I'm a carpenter
YOU'RE NOT THINKING...
I'LL BRING THE CHILD TO THE ORPHANAGE
AND OF NO PARTICULAR STATURE
THE MOTHER IS STILL YOUNG.
NOBODY IN HER FAMILY OR THE TOWN NOTICED ANYTHING

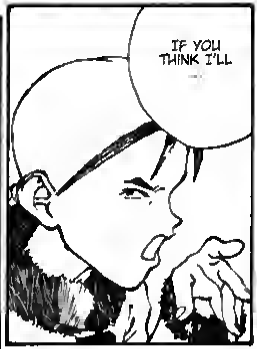
WHAT ARE YOU DOING GETTING YOURSELF INVOLVED?
WHAT—!?
NOW THE RESPONSIBILITY IS YOURS
IF IT WAS A SIN, SHE SHOULD PAY FOR IT.
AND IF NOT, SHE SHOULD WELCOME IT HAPPILY
THIS CHILD
DOESN'T BELONG HERE.


THE WOOD'S RUNNING OUT.
DAMN!
SSSHH
FWHUU
FWHUU
BE RIGHT BACK..

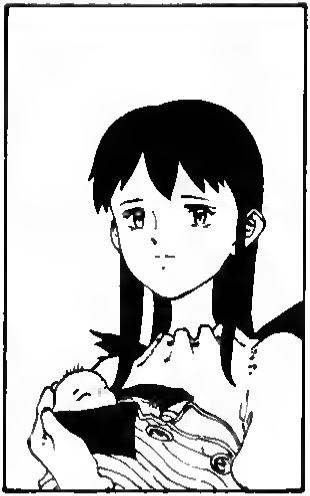
NO WOOD.
NOTHING.
IT'S BECAUSE...
...WE'VE BEEN CUTTING DOWN THE FORESTS THOUGHTLESSLY FOR CENTURIES ...
I MUST FIND SOMETHING...

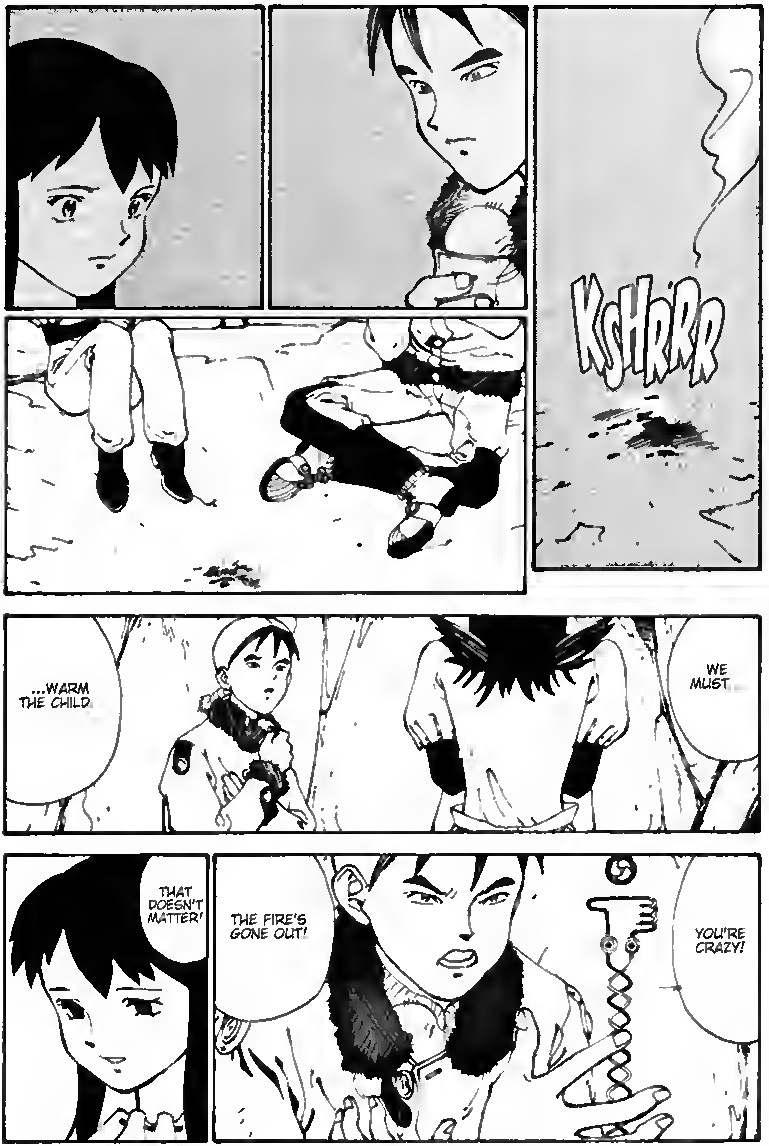
IT'S OUT OF THE QUESTION! YOU'RE UP TO SOMETHING!?
BUT COULDN'T YOU HOLD THE CHILD FOR A WHILE AND WARM HER?

NO, I'M NOT FREEZING
AREN'T YOU COLD?


IF YOU THINK I'LL

YOU HAVE SOME SORT OF PROBLEM
AH, I GET IT...




KSHRRR
...WARM THE CHILD.
WE MUST...
THAT DOESN'T MATTER!
THE FIRE'S GONE OUT!
YOU'RE CRAZY!

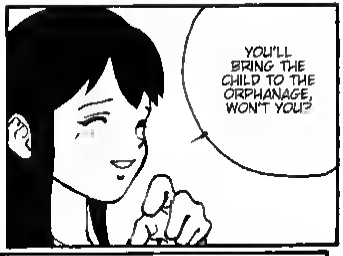
...FOR THE FIRE.
THERE'S STILL FUEL...
THIS IS MY BODY...
...THAT YOU WERE SO SUSPICIOUS ABOUT.

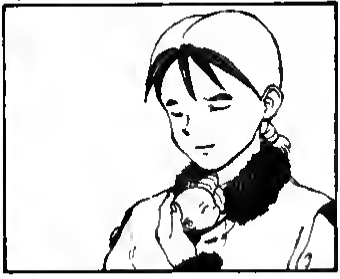
THIS IS THE BODY...
...MY CREATOR HAS PUNISHED ME WITH
MY BODY WHICH CAN NEVER HOLD A BELOVED PERSON NOR WARM HIM OR HER.
A BODY WHICH CANNOT FEEL...
A BODY TO WHICH EVERY COMFORT IS DENIED.

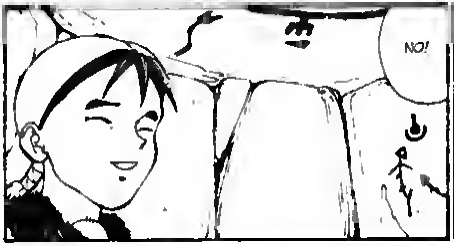
MY WINGS ARE NOT BIG AND STRONG.
COMPARED TO MY SISTERS I'M EVEN MORE REMOVED FROM THE WORLD.
...AND OF NO OTHER USE.
MY BODY IS WOODEN...
...BURN ME!
PLEASE...

FWHOOO

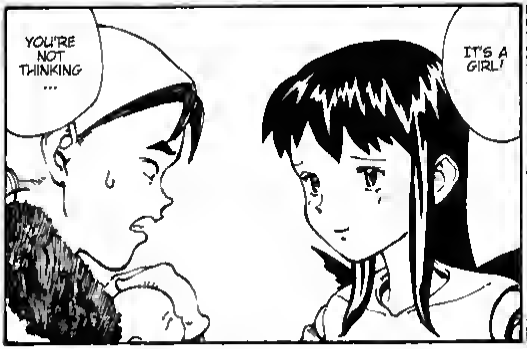
DON'T WORRY!
I'LL TAKE GOOD CARE OF THE LITTLE ONE!

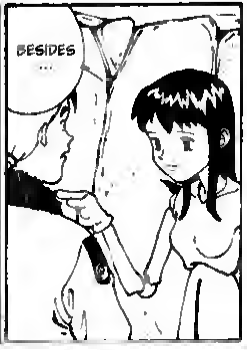

YOU'LL BRING THE CHILD TO THE ORPHANAGE, WON'T YOU?




NO!

OR ARE YOU JOKING?
ARE YOU SERIOUS?

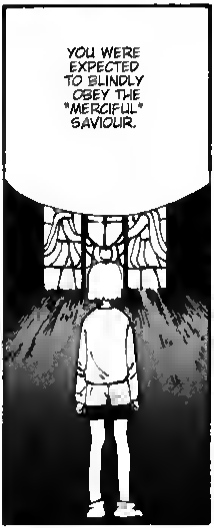

YOU'RE NOT THINKING ...
IT'S A GIRL!

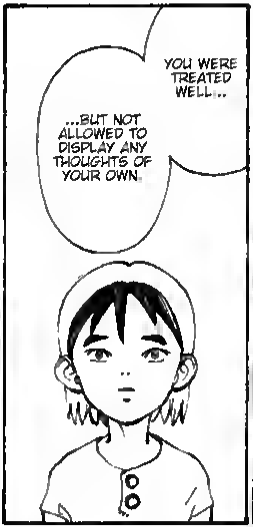

BESIDES ...

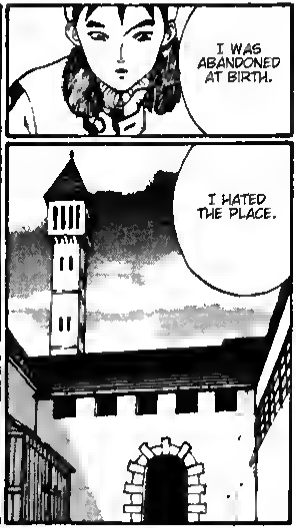
HER NAME IS NIVOSE.
TELL ME ABOUT YOURSELF!
NOW IT'S YOUR TURN!
IF YOU SAY SO...
KSHRRR

...IN A CHURCH...
I GREW UP...

AS A CHILD I WAS KNOWN AS...
..."63".


YOU WERE EXPECTED TO BLINDLY OBEY THE "MERCIFUL" SAVIOUR.


YOU WERE TREATED WELL...
...BUT NOT ALLOWED TO DISPLAY ANY THOUGHTS OF YOUR OWN.


I WAS ABANDONED AT BIRTH.
I HATED THE PLACE.

WHEN I WAS 10 I RAN AWAY...
THE IDIOTS THOUGHT OF THEMSELVES AS THE PINNACLE OF CREATION
...BUT AT THE SAME TIME THEY HAD BEEN ADHERING TO THE SAME PRECEPTS FOR 2000 YEARS.
I FEEL RELIEVED NOW...
I CAN TRUST YOU.
I'M NOT USED TO IT THOUGH...
WHAT'S THAT?

I...
PLEASE DON'T LAUGH.
THIS IS MY DOING...

...MADE THIS CUT
A...
...CAESARIAN!

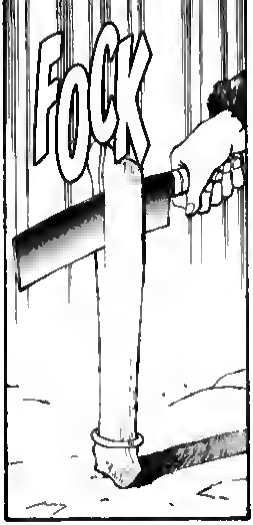
..I'M MISSING SOMETHING
SOMETIMES I FEEL....
I'VE NEVER BEEN...
...CRADLED IN SOMEONE'S ARMS BEFORE.
HI HI

HYOOOOOO
FWHUUU

FWHUUU
...AM I DOING?
JUST WHAT
FWHUUU
FWHUUU
KSHRR

FWHOOO
WOOO
WOOO
WOOO

SHRRRK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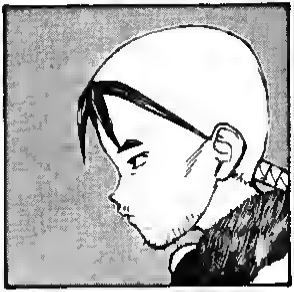
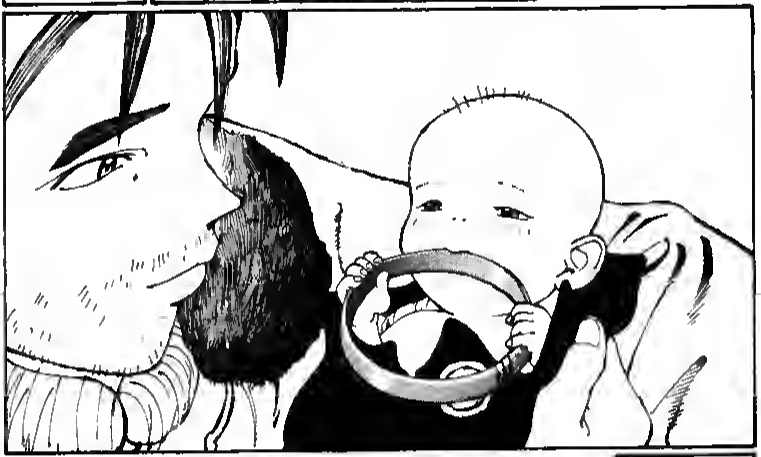


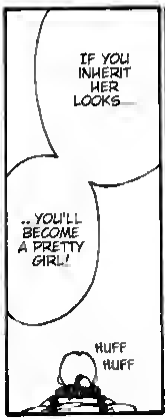
SHRRK
SHRRK

FWHOOOO
I...
...DON'T EVEN KNOW HER NAME

HAS STOPPED FALLING
THE SNOW...
IT COULD WORK NOW.

EH?
THIS IS YOUR TALISMAN




IF YOU INHERIT HER LOOKS...
...YOU'LL BECOME A PRETTY GIRL!
HUFF HUFF

YOU OWE HER YOUR LIFE...
BUT THAT DOESN'T SCARE US!

IT'S STILL COLD...

SHE CAME FROM THE EARTH...
...AND RETURNED TO IT.
...
AT FIRST I THOUGHT ...
...YOU WERE HER CHILD!
BUT THAT'S NOT TRUE ...

When I'm in town again
I'll build you big,
black wings...

...and think of
your "mother",
whose name I
do not know

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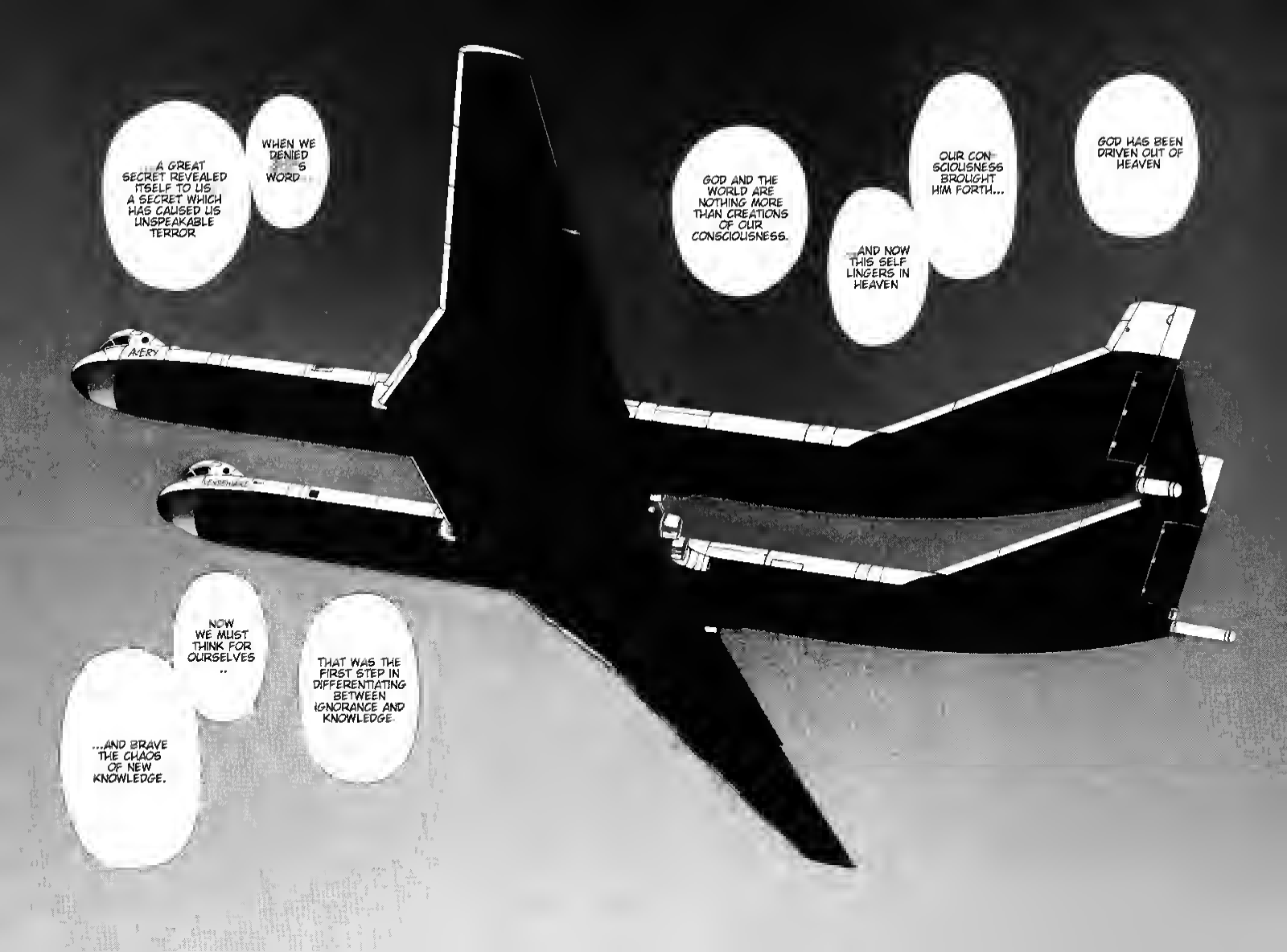
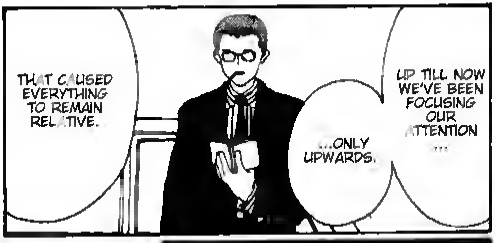
Last chapter: Vendemiaire's flight


A GREAT SECRET REVEALED ITSELF TO US A SECRET WHICH HAS CAUSED US UNSPEAKABLE TERROR
WHEN WE DENIED [illegible]S WORD
GOD AND THE WORLD ARE NOTHING MORE THAN CREATIONS OF OUR CONSCIOUSNESS.
AND NOW THIS SELF LINGERS IN HEAVEN
OUR CONSCIOUSNESS BROUGHT HIM FORTH...
GOD HAS BEEN DRIVEN OUT OF HEAVEN
AVERY
NOW WE MUST THINK FOR OURSELVES ..
...AND BRAVE THE CHAOS OF NEW KNOWLEDGE.
THAT WAS THE FIRST STEP IN DIFFERENTIATING BETWEEN IGNORANCE AND KNOWLEDGE.

PFFF


UP TILL NOW WE'VE BEEN FOCUSING OUR ATTENTION ...
...ONLY UPWARDS.
THAT CAUSED EVERYTHING TO REMAIN RELATIVE.

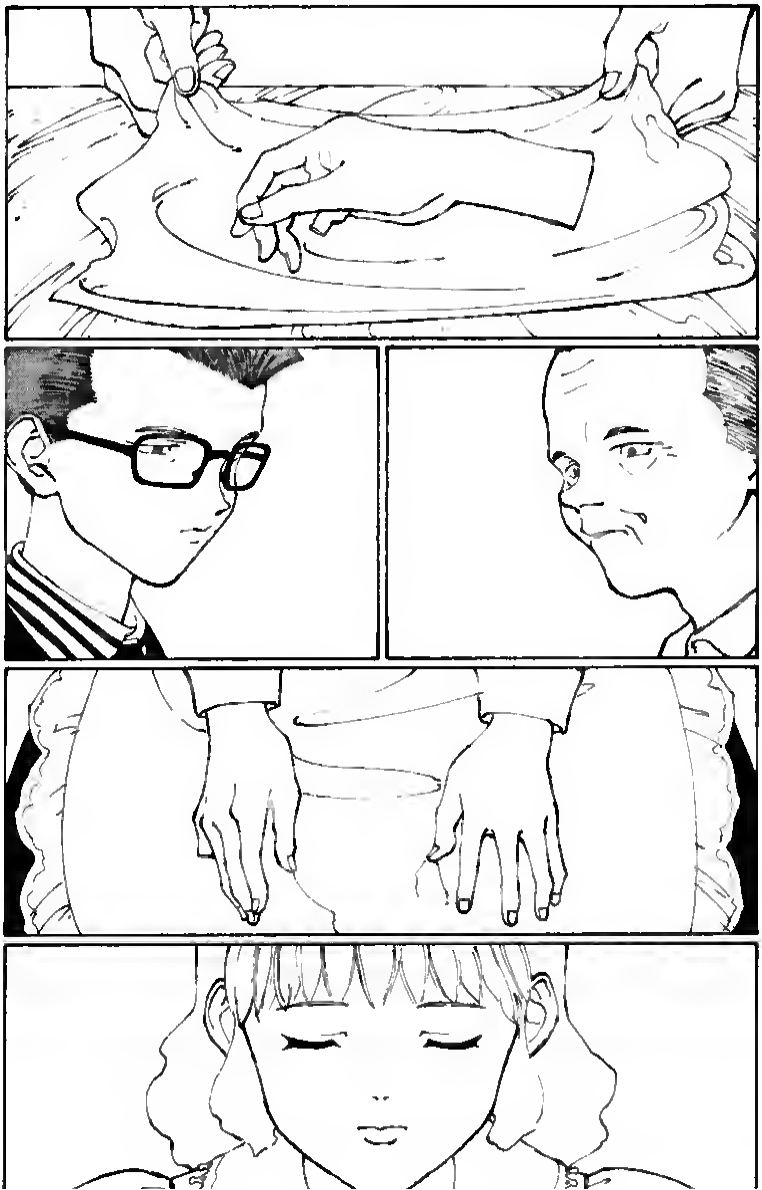
OLD MAN...
...TIMES HAVE CHANGED!
WOOOOOO

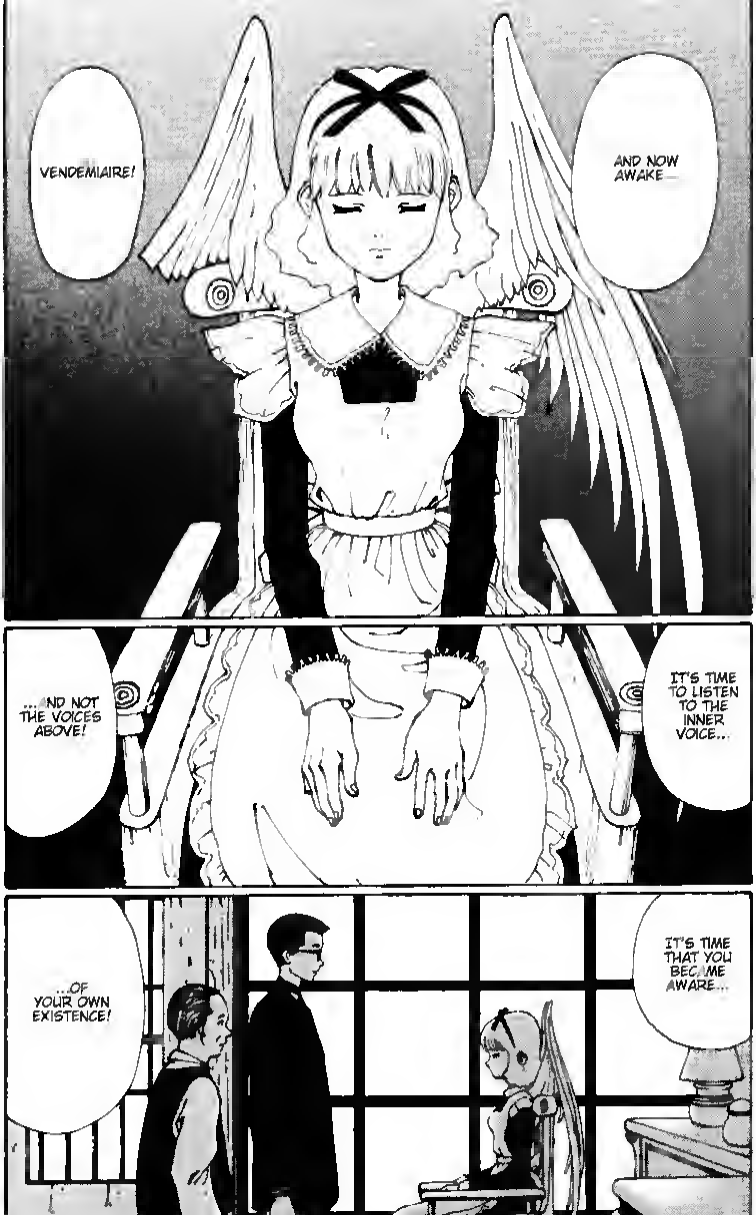
WE SHOULD STRIVE FOR THE ABSOLUTE ...
...AND THAT LIES ...
KWAPP
...INSIDE

NOW I HAVE AN UNPLEASANT TASK.
VROOOM
VROOOM

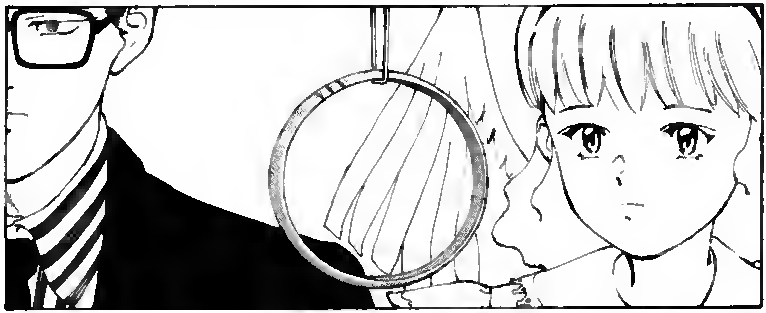
Kalli

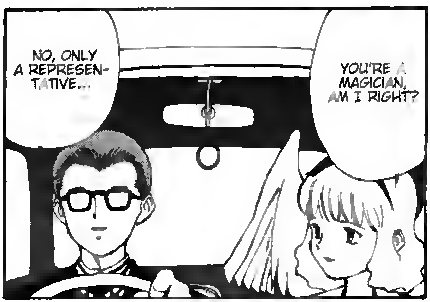
ARE YOU LOOKING FOR SOMETHING IN PARTICULAR?
YES...
...THE PUPPET OVER THERE.
AH... IT'S NOT FOR SALE, UNFORTUNATELY.
IT'S SOMETHING LIKE OUR SIGNBOARD.
EVEN MY GRANDFATHER HAD GREAT RESPECT FOR IT.
HE SAID, "TREAT HER WITH RESPECT, FOR SHE LIVES!"
HA HA
IT WAS JUST ONE OF THOSE THINGS HE SAID, BUT...
THE PUPPET...
REALLY LIVES!
AND—
I HAVE THE RIGHT.
TO BUY HER FROM YOU!

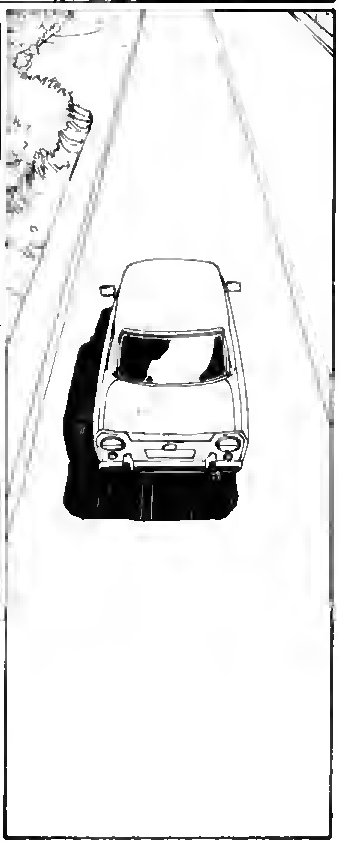



VENDEMIAIRE!
AND NOW AWAKE—
...ND NOT THE VOICES ABOVE!
IT'S TIME TO LISTEN TO THE INNER VOICE...
...OF YOUR OWN EXISTENCE!
IT'S TIME THAT YOU BEC/ME AWARE...

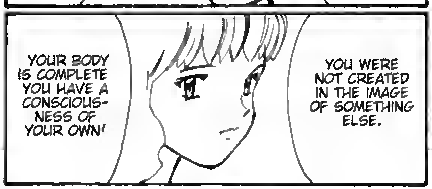
YESTERDAY ...
THE OLD MAN NAMED RAY PASSED AWAY

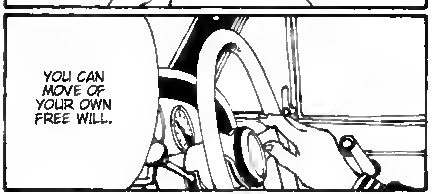


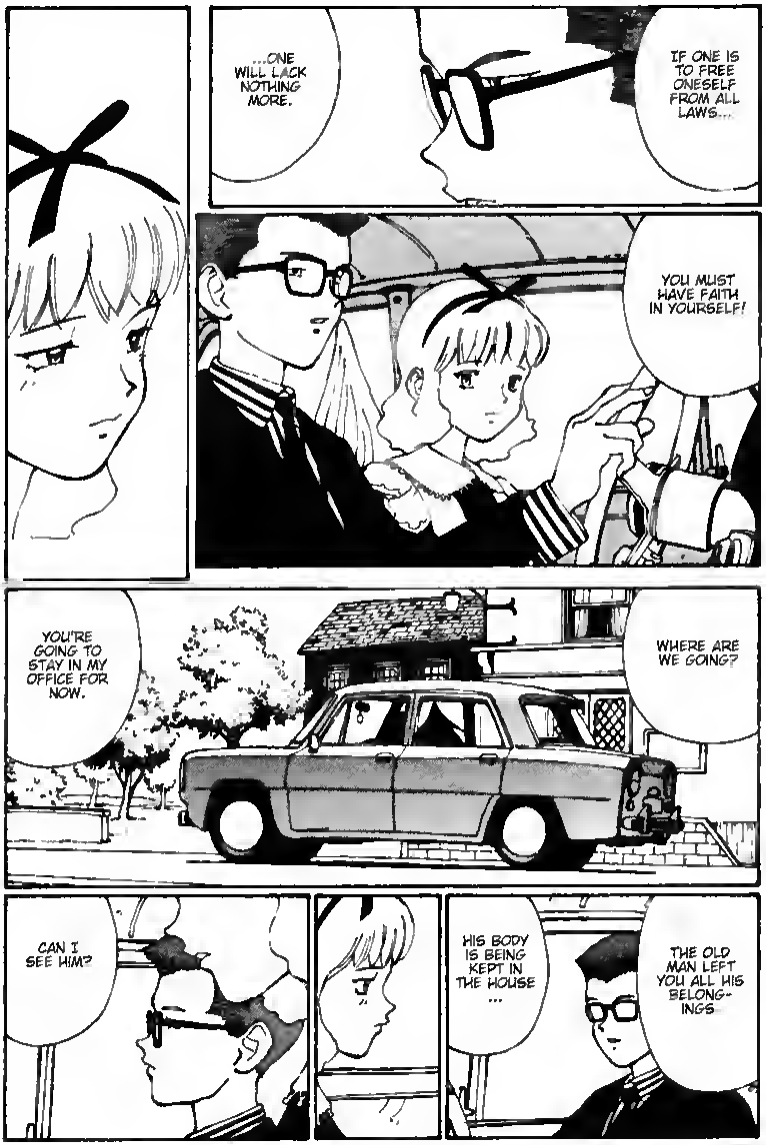

NO, ONLY A REPRESENTATIVE...
YOU'RE A MAGICIAN, AM I RIGHT?



YOU PUT LIMITS ON YOUR BODY.
THE MAGIC IS COMING FROM INSIDE YOU!


YOUR BODY IS COMPLETE YOU HAVE A CONSCIOUSNESS OF YOUR OWN!
YOU WERE NOT CREATED IN THE IMAGE OF SOMETHING ELSE.


YOU CAN MOVE OF YOUR OWN FREE WILL.


...ONE WILL LACK NOTHING MORE.
IF ONE IS TO FREE ONESELF FROM ALL LAWS...
YOU MUST HAVE FAITH IN YOURSELF!
YOU'RE GOING TO STAY IN MY OFFICE FOR NOW.
WHERE ARE WE GOING?
CAN I SEE HIM?
HIS BODY IS BEING KEPT IN THE HOUSE ...
THE OLD MAN LEFT YOU ALL HIS BELONG-INGS

HE DIDN'T WANT TO SEE YOU!
BUT HE NEVER VISITED YOU
THAT WOULDN'T BE IN HIS INTEREST.
HE HAD KNOWN FOR 10 YEARS WHERE YOU LIVED...
...AS A KATASHIRO*
YOU LIVE IN ANOTHER TIME...
YOU SHOULDN'T MEASURE TIME ACCORDING TO HUMAN SCALES.
...YOU WOULD'VE SEEN THE TOLL TIME TOOK ON HIM.
FOR THEN...

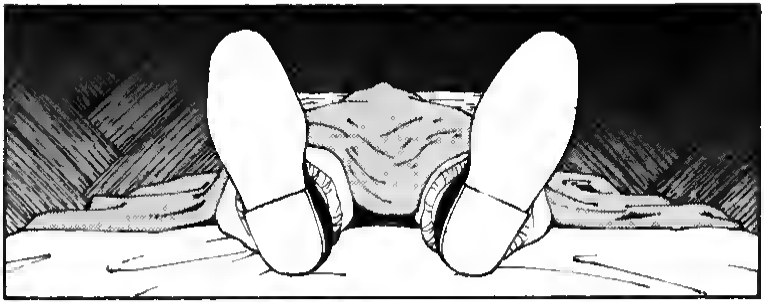
*Paper doll used in Shinto cleansing rituals

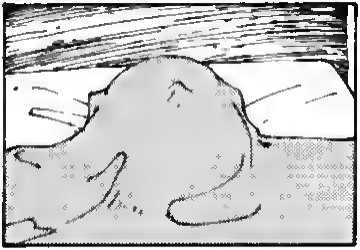
...NOW HE LIVES IN A TIME LIKE MINE.
BUT...
IT'S NOT MY PLACE TO QUESTION HIS WILL.
WHY SHOULDN'T I VISIT HIM?
WELL THEN...

HERE IT IS.

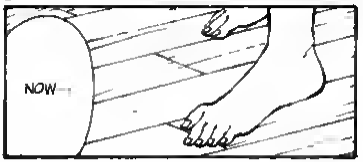
HE WAS AN UNBELIEVER ALL HIS LIFE
HE ALSO NEVER MARRIED.
I'M TAKING CARE OF HIS CREMATION AND I'LL SCATTER HIS ASHES
NOBODY IS INVITED
THERE ISN'T ONE
AND THE FUNERAL ?

A REQUEST
I HAVE
LET'S GO.
CAN I SPEND THE NIGHT
. WITH HIM?



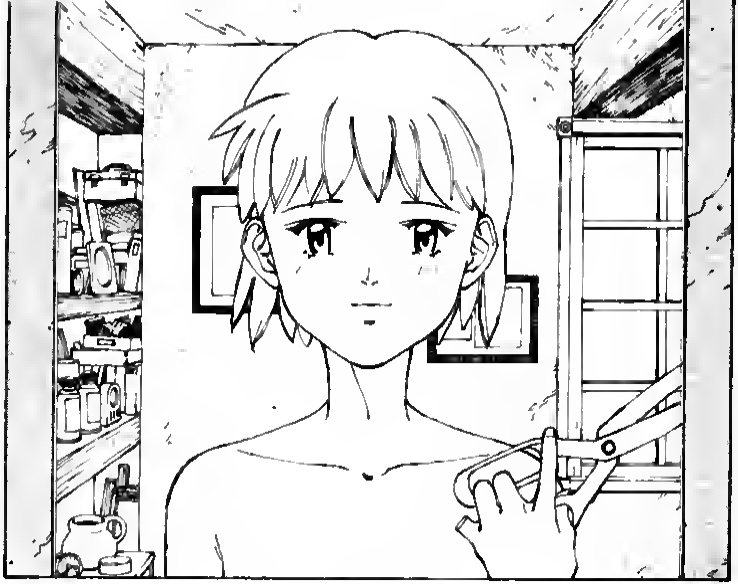


I'M SOME-
WHAT
ANNOYED

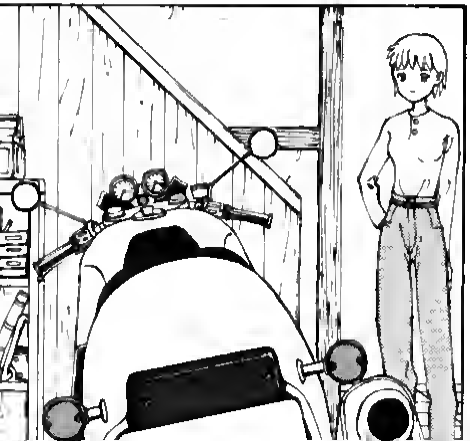

NOW—

IT MUST'VE BEEN A GREAT SATISFACTION TO PREPARE MY LIFE FOR 10 YEARS...
BUT YOU COULD'VE GIVEN ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO DO SOMETHING IN RETURN!
KRSSSH
I HOPE ...
...YOU'LL FORGIVE ME IF I MAKE AMENDS NOW!

I'M REALLY PLAYING WITH A CORPSE
KSHA



I REMEMBER HIS LIFE AND HIS HABITS.
HI!
HI



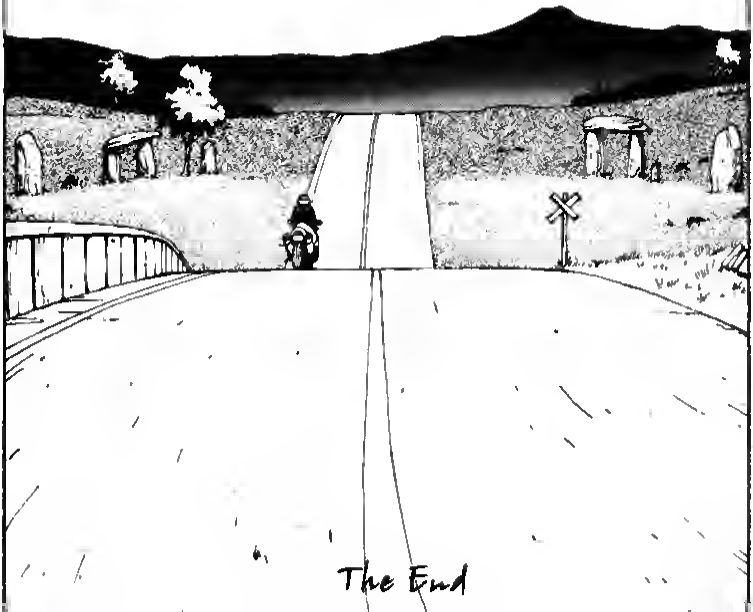
UAAAH
VRRRRN
VROOOM
VRRRRN

VROOOOM
HAS THE OLD MAN COME BACK TO LIFE...?
SKREEE
THAT CAN'T BE...

HA HA HA HA!
HE HE
...WHERE THE WINGS WERE.
IT HURTS ...

Woooo

WHAT BIG..
STRONG, BLACK WINGS!
VRRRNN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